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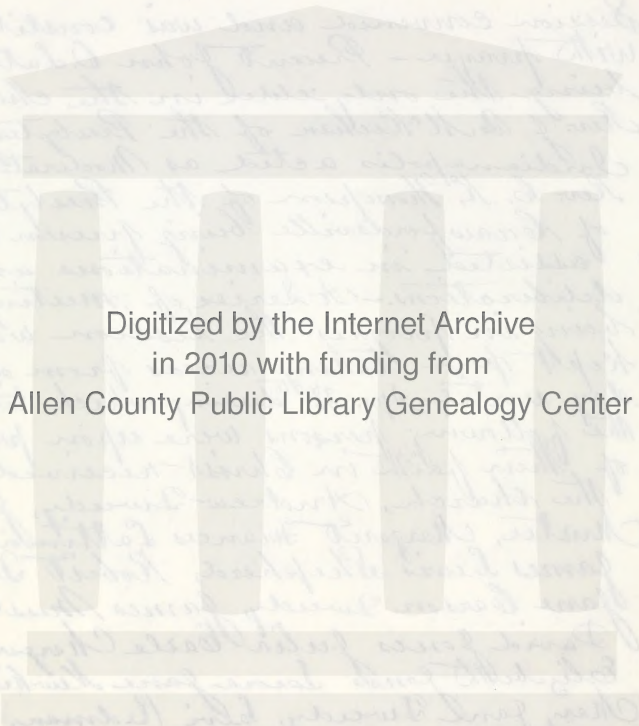
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Graham Church Apr. 17, 1868.

Session convened and was constituted with prayer - Present John O. Lattimore being the only elder in the church. Rev. J. B. McKeehan of the Presbytery of Indianapolis acted as Moderator. Rev. C. K. Thompson of the Presbytery of Crawfordville being present, assisted in examinations and deliberations. - A series of meetings being in progress the Session was kept open taking recess from day day until Apr. 27<sup>th</sup> during which time the following persons were upon profession of their faith in Christ received into the church, Andrew Tweedy, John Muster, Margaret Frances Lattimore, James Lewis Shepherd, Robert Tweedy, Jane Carson Tweedy, James Muster, David Jones, Julia Earle, Margaret Elizabeth Jones, Laura Jane Newkirk, Mary Jane Tweedy, Levi Redman, Mary Jones, Margaret Jane Redman, James Smith Carson, Nancy Redman, P. Lee, & Charles W. Redman. Closed with prayer

John O. Lattimore Secy

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MINUTES OF SESSION.

Graham Church May 3<sup>d</sup> 1868

Session convened and was constituted with prayer. Present John O. Lattimore the only elder of the Church. Rev. J. B. McKeehan of the Presbytery of Indianapolis acted as Moderator.

Rev. D. D. McKee of the Presbytery of Madison assisted in the deliberation.

The following named persons were received into the church on profession of their faith in Christ. Geo. W. Earl, Joseph W. Miller & his wife Elizabeth Miller By letter from the Methodist Episcopal Church at Du Pont Mrs. Almira Francis Pearson

Walter C. Carson, who had been under censure & suspension for some time voluntarily appeared and upon a humble acknowledgement of his sin & professions of penitence was restored to the privileges of the Church.

Francis Tweedy and his wife Mary Tweedy - having some years ago on removing to a distant part of the country written letters, & having returned to the bounds of the church without having had opportunity to hand these letters in anywhere returned the same.







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At his own request - Prior P. S. was dismissed to the Presbyterian Church at Vernon Indiana.

Session closed with prayer

John C. Lattimore C. S. K.

Graham Church Aug 23<sup>rd</sup> 1868.

Session convened & was opened with prayer. Present Jno. C. Lattimore the only elder. Rev. D. F. McKee acted as Moderator. David Alexander Shepherd appeared before the Session and upon profession of his faith in Christ - was received into the Church.

Closed with prayer

Jno. C. Lattimore C. S. K.

Graham Church Jan. 11<sup>th</sup> 1864

Session convened & was constituted with prayer. Present Jno. C. Lattimore - only elder of the church.

Rev. C. B. McKee acted as Moderator. Upon profession of their faith in Christ the following persons were received into the Church.

Miss Emma Baker, Miss Elizabeth Redman & Mrs. Nancy Carson; also by letter from the



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United Presbyterian Church  
Thomas Giboney and Margaret  
Giboney, his wife.  
Session closed with prayer

Jno. C. Lattimore C/K.

Graham Church April 3<sup>d</sup> 1869.  
Session met at the call of the  
Moderator Present John C. Lattimore  
W<sup>m</sup> A. Graham and Thomas Giboney  
the two latter having been ordained  
on yesterday to the office of ruling  
Elder. Rev J. D. McKeehan D.D.  
acted as Moderator and opened with  
prayer

At her own request Miss  
Emma Corbet was dismissed to  
the New Prospect Church - Presbytery  
of Indianapolis. Letters of dismission  
were also granted to David Jones  
his wife — Jones and his two daughters  
Mary and Margaret Elizabeth Jones.

The following report was received  
from the congregation and ordered  
to be recorded in the minutes, viz  
At a regularly called meeting of the  
congregation held in the church  
March 20<sup>th</sup> 1869. for the purpose of



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meeting officers William A. Graham  
W. H. Carson and Thomas Gibney were  
elected to the office of Ruling Elder;  
James S. Carson and Levi Keckman  
to the office of Deacons, and John  
O. Lattimore, Thomas Graham, Joseph  
Miller and Robert Tweedy were chosen  
Trustees

Moderator - J. D. McKechnie.  
Sec'y. Andrew Tweedy.

Thomas Gibney was appointed delegate  
to the next meeting of Presbytery  
with John O. Lattimore as alternate.  
John O. Lattimore resigned the  
Clerkship of Session Thomas Gibney  
was chosen in his place.  
Session. Closed with prayer

Thomas Gibney. Clerk

Graham Church April 2<sup>nd</sup> 1869  
W. A. Graham and Thomas Gibney  
having been duly Elected to  
the office of Ruling Elder and  
having signed their ac-  
ception were this day Ordained  
and installed

Thus far examined and approved by Madison Presbytery in  
Session at Versailles Ind. April 8<sup>th</sup> 1869.

Edw. J. House, Clerk  
Moderator





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Versailles Ind. Apr. 8<sup>th</sup> 1869.

The Presbytery of Madison directed its  
stated clerk to enter the following resolu-  
tion upon the sessional records of each  
Church under her care - viz.

"Resolved.

That it be a standing rule of this Pres-  
bytery, that each Church under  
our care, shall ~~refer~~ show in writing  
in its annual report, a full settle-  
ment with its Pastor or stated  
supply."

Attest

J. B. Garritt  
Stated Clerk.

Madison Pky.

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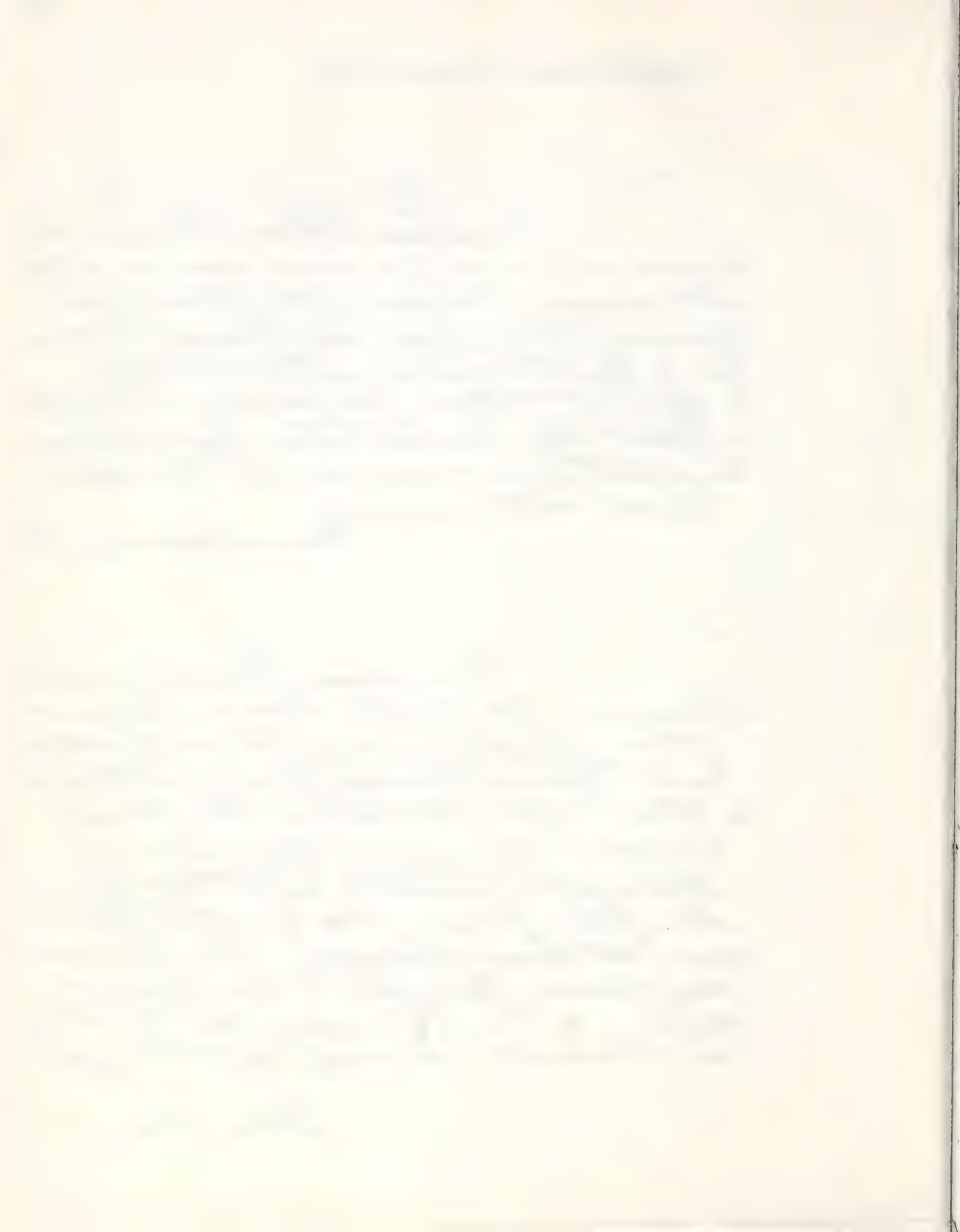


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Graham Church Aug 21. 1867  
Session convened and was constituted  
with prayer. Present John C Lattimore  
William A Graham and Thomas Giboney  
Rev J. L. McKean - Stated Supply  
Moderator. Upon profession of their faith  
in Christ Mrs. Mariah L. Lee and Miss Fing  
Winchester were received into the church  
Closed with prayer  
Thomas Giboney c'k

Graham Church Aug 23, 1867  
Session met after sermon. Present  
John C Lattimore William A. Graham  
and Thomas Giboney, Rev. J. L. McKean  
Stated Supply Moderator. The following  
persons were upon profession of  
their faith <sup>in Christ</sup> received into the church  
Mr. John Jordan Mrs. Electa Lattimore  
and Allison Barnes Wm A Graham  
was chosen Delegate to the approaching  
meeting of Presbytery and John C. Lattimore  
his Alternate. Closed with Prayer

Thomas Giboney c'k



MINUTES OF SESSION.

Graham Church Aug. 25: 1889  
Session met and was opened with  
prayer. Present - Rev. J. D. M. Cushman -  
Moderator - John A. Lattimore and  
Thomas Gibney. Charles W. Redman  
having been guilty of unchristian  
conduct voluntarily appeared before  
the session and made a humble  
confession of his sin and gave promise  
of reformation. The session having  
reason to believe from other sources than  
confessions and promises that his  
penitence was sincere decided  
to continue him in full standing  
in the church - And after an  
earnest admonition of the offending  
brother closed with prayer.

Thomas Gibney C. K.

Graham Church Nov. 1<sup>st</sup> 1889  
By order of session letters of dis-  
mission were granted to Nancy  
A. Lattimore and Martha Reed  
whose names appear in Vol. 1<sup>st</sup> of minutes  
of session.





## MINUTES OF SESSION.

1869

Graham Church Nov 13<sup>th</sup>

Session convened and was opened with prayer by Rev. C. R. Thompson Moderator. Present W. A. Graham and Thomas Giboney. Upon profession of his faith in Christ Walter M. Carson was received into the church Also by certificate from the United Presbyterian Church W. L. Simpson. Closed with prayer

Thomas Giboney S. 41

Graham Church Nov 14<sup>th</sup> 1869

Session met and was constituted with prayer. Present W. A. Graham Thomas Giboney and Rev. C. R. Thompson Moderator John L. Dwyer Margaret Jordan Nancy Ann James and Delilah Ellen Carson were examined and upon profession of their faith in Christ were received into the church Closed with Prayer

Thomas Giboney S. 41



## MINUTES OF SESSION.

Graham Church Nov 15<sup>th</sup> 1889  
 Session convened and was  
 opened with Prayer Present  
 W. H. Graham Thomas Gibney and  
 Rev. L. R. Thompson Moderator Upon  
 profession of their faith in Christ  
 the following persons were received  
 into the Church Elbridge G. Graham  
 Eddie Winterstein and Alfred  
 Phares closed with prayer

Thomas Gibney Secy

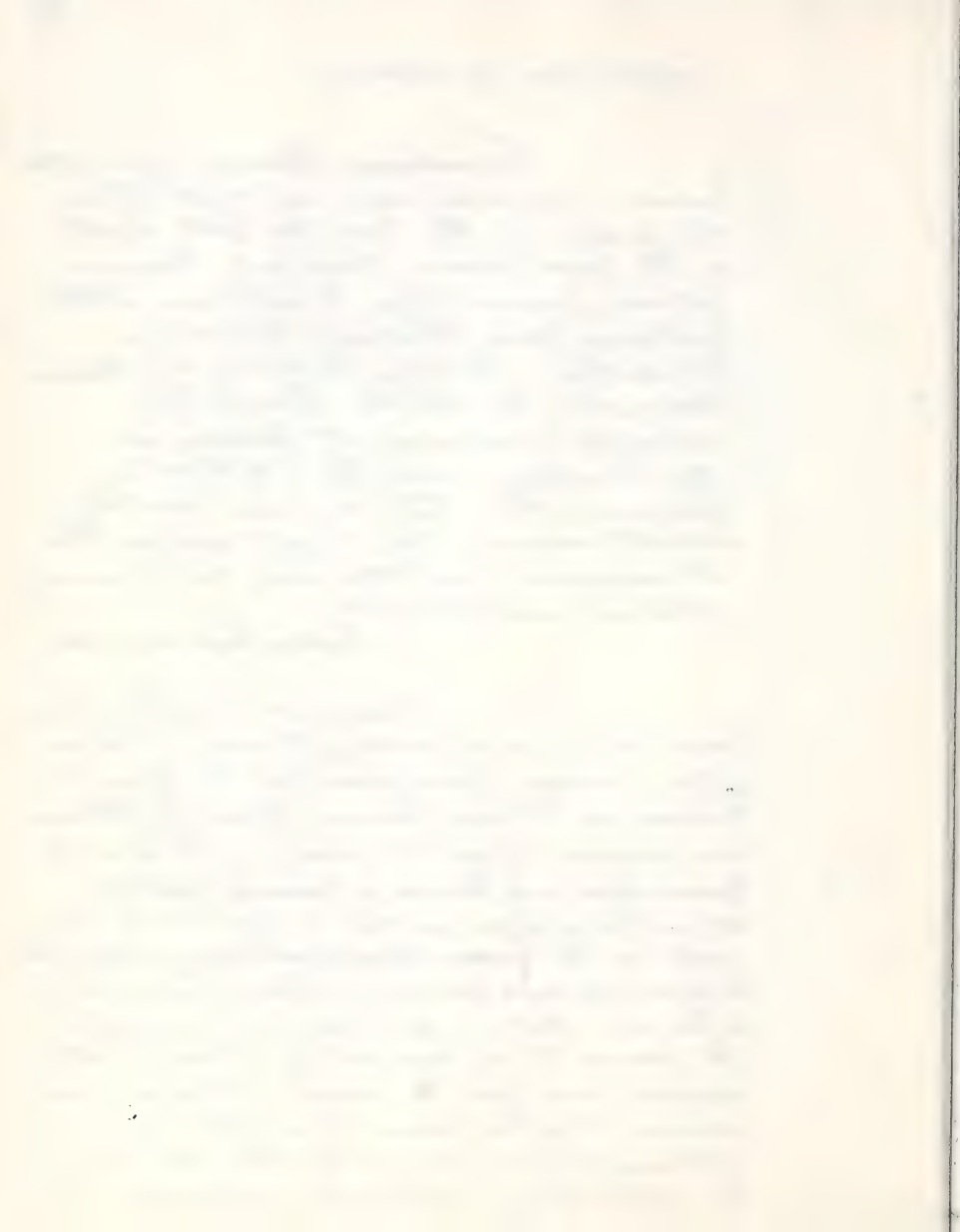
Graham Church Nov 17, 1889  
 Session convened and was opened with  
 prayer Present W. H. Graham Thomas  
 Gibney and Rev. D. W. Moffat Moderator  
 Miss Mary Winterstein was upon  
 profession of her faith in Christ  
 received into the Church  
 closed with prayer  
 Thomas Gibney Secy



## MINUTES OF SESSION.

Graham Church Apr. 2, 1870  
 Session convened and was constituted with prayer by the Rev Mr. Gill Pastor of the Presbyterian church of Hanover Elders present, Jno. O. Sattimore Wm. A. Graham and Thomas Gibney.  
 On motion Thomas Gibney was chosen Delegate to attend Presbytery which convenes at Madison on Tuesday next, the 5 of April.  
 Session then took recess untill Sabbath evening Apr. 3<sup>d</sup> at which time it convened and there being no business closed with prayer  
 Thomas Gibney Clerk

Champion Schoolhouse Jan. 8, 71  
 Session met and was constituted with prayer by Rev S. D. McKee of Hanover Elders present John O. Sattimore W. A. Graham and Thomas Gibney Daniel J. Sattimore being accused by "general rumour" of the sins of Fornication, and, Breach of Marriage Contract. - voluntarily appeared and confessed to his guilt in the former charge but denied the latter. He also expressed feelings of sorrow and penitence for the sin which he confessed and requested the Session to try him and if it thought proper, exclude him from the church. There being no evidence before the session except the above statements of the accused further action in the matter was for the present postponed.





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The foregoing action of the Session ordered to be publicly made known to the congregation on the Sabbath following. Closed with prayer.

Thomas Gibney clerk

Annual Report to the Presbytery  
commencing Apr. 1, 1869 and ending  
April 1, 1870

Added on Examinations 14

" " Certificate 1

Total communicants 66

Baptisms.

Adults 8

No children in S. S. and Bible Class 120.

Grunds collected.

Foreign Missions \$11.38

Education 14.55

Publication 3.15

Commissioners & contingent 17.00

Congregational 271.25

April 5<sup>th</sup> 1870.

Thus far examined and approved by the Presby-  
tery of Madison, in session at Madison April 6<sup>th</sup> 70.

John Hill. mod.



## MINUTES OF SESSION.

Vernon Ind. April 9<sup>th</sup> 1870.

Session met and was constituted with prayer by Rev. C. R. Thompson Moderator. Elders present - W. A. Graham and Thomas Gibney. A Citation was issued and directed to be sent to Daniel James Eastmore for his appearance before the Session at the residence of Rev. J. S. McRuhan of Queensville Ind. on the 23 day of April 1870. To answer the following charges: Fornication and Breach of marriage contract. Session also ordered that Greenup Irish and Mary Irish be notified to appear at the above named time and place as witnesses.

closed with prayer

Thomas Gibney Clerk

Vernon Ind. May 14<sup>th</sup> 1870.

The Commission appointed by the Methodist Presbytery in the case of Daniel J. Eastmore met for the second time according to its adjournment. all the members were present. The meeting was opened with prayer. The records of the General Church in the case were read. Also a letter from the accused acknowledging the receipt of the citation. The Commission returned to the up the case and were reminded of the duty by the moderator - as a court of justice. The witnesses being present & the



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reference to the second charge (Breach of  
 marriage contract) And he accused  
 himself acknowledged himself to be  
 guilty of the sin of fornication as  
 charged - but not having shown  
 due penitence - therefore in view of  
 this and because of his contumacy  
 in declining to obey the citation to appear  
 for trial the Commission resolved that in the future  
 of this Commission the said doctrine ought to  
 be excluded from the communion of the  
 church until he gives satisfactory evidence  
 of repentance and he is hereby thus  
 Excluded. The Moderator was directed  
 to read this action of the Commission  
 from the pulpit of the Graham Pres. Church  
 on tomorrow closed with prayer.

D. D. McKie Moderator  
 D. C. R. - Commission  
 J. R. Thompson Clerk  
 Graham Session.



## MINUTES OF SESSION.

Graham Church Dec. 25<sup>th</sup> 1840

Session commenced and was opened with prayer.  
 Present Rev. J. M. McNew Stated and singing.  
 Moderator and Elders Wm. J. Graham and  
 Thomas Giboney. The propriety of continuing  
 the meeting for a few days was discussed  
 and decided in the Affirmative.  
 Session decided to remain open during  
 said meeting. Rev. James H. McKie  
 of Vernon ~~was~~ present and assisted  
 during said meeting and the following  
 persons were received into the church.  
 John Berkman and Martha Berkman  
 his wife by letter from the Bethel  
 Presbyterian church. And on profession  
 of their faith in Christ - the following.  
 David H. Giboney Mary Dunsell Owen  
 Geo. W. Giboney James Harrison  
 Simpson Wm. Wood Nancy Rice  
 Redman Harriet J. Redman  
 D. M. Cudlin and Elizabeth J.  
 Cudlin his wife.  
 Dec 31<sup>st</sup> Session closed with prayer.

Thomas Giboney





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MINUTES OF SESSION.

Graham Church Feb. 12<sup>th</sup> 1891

Session met and was constituted with prayer. Present C. M. McLean Moderator W. A. Graham & Thomas Gibney Elders Ephraim Harlan & his wife Parilla Harlan appeared before the Session and presented a letter from the 8<sup>th</sup> Dist Circuit, South East Ind. Conference dated Sept. 15<sup>th</sup> 1890. Upon their public profession of faith in Christ together with the evidence of said letter they were received into the church. Closed with prayer

Thomas Gibney

Graham Church March 16, 1891

Session met and was constituted with prayer by the Moderator Rev. J. M. McLean. Elders present - John C. Satterton W. A. Graham & Thos Gibney John C. Satterton was chosen delegate to the approaching meeting of Presbytery and Thomas Gibney alternate. Closed with prayer

Thomas Gibney

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## MINUTES OF SESSION.

## Annual Report of the Presbytery

April 1<sup>st</sup> 1871  
 Added on Ex 11  
 " " 2  
 Total Communion 71

## Baptisms

April 6 — 4  
 Infants 1  
 At in Sabbath Bible class 72

## Funds collected

Home Missions	\$5.50
Foreign "	8.00
General Assembly	4.00
Congregational	\$12.00

Thus far Examined and approved by the  
 Presbytery of New Albany in session at Madison,  
 8 April 1871, with the following exceptions of The Sta  
 tutes of the membership

Thomas A. Steele  
 Moderator.



## MINUTES OF SESSION.

Graham ch. Aug. 20. 1871

Session commenced and was opened with  
 prayer. Present J. M. McRee Moderator  
 W. A. Graham and Thomas Giboney Elders  
 Thomas Giboney was chosen delegate  
 to the next meeting of Presbytery  
 and W. A. Graham alternate  
 closed with prayer

Thomas Giboney, clrk

Graham ch. Oct. 29<sup>th</sup> 1871

Session met and was constituted  
 with prayer by J. M. McRee moderator  
 Elders present W. A. Graham and Thomas  
 Giboney. Upon profession of her  
 faith in Christ Mrs. Roxana Savage  
 was received into the church  
 closed with prayer

Thomas Giboney Clerk

Graham Church Dec. 10<sup>th</sup> 1871

Session met and was opened with prayer  
 by Rev. J. McRee Moderator. Elders  
 present W. A. Graham and Thomas Giboney  
 all other means of removing an offence  
 charged by common fame <sup>against J. N. Gordon</sup> the clerk  
 was ordered to issue a citation to said  
 J. N. Gordon for his appearance before  
 this Session on the 24<sup>th</sup> day of Dec 1871





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to answer certain charges by "Common sense"  
 Closed with prayer  
 Thomas Gibney clerk

Graham Church Mar. 17, 1872

Session met and was opened with prayer -  
 members present John O. Lattimore W.  
 A. Graham Thomas Gibney and J. Mc.  
 McKee Moderator. Decided to call  
 a congregational meeting Saturday the 13  
 of April next for the purpose of electing  
 Elders and other important business.

John O. Lattimore was chosen  
 delegate to the approaching meeting  
 of Presbytery and W. A. Graham  
 alternate Closed with prayer  
 Thomas Gibney cl.



## MINUTES OF SESSION.

## Annual Report to Presbytery

April 1<sup>st</sup> 1872

Added on Examination 1

" " Certificate

Total Communicants 73

## Baptisms

Adults

Infants

No of children in Sabbath

Schools &amp; Bible class 75

## Funds collected

Home Missions \$7.00

Foreign " 7.00

Education 3.00

Publication 3.00

Church Erection 25.00

Ministerial Relief 3.00

Friendman 3.00

General Assembly 7.00

Pastor's Salary 300.00

Congregational 370.00

Miscellaneous 27.00

" Sustentation 6.00

Total funds collected \$461.00



## MINUTES OF SESSION:

Mar. 29 1872

At an informal meeting of Session it was ordered that the Session visit Mr John N Jordan who had been previously cited before it to answer charges of unchristian conduct. Mr Jordan failing to appear the foregoing <sup>order</sup> ordered visit was made & the Session met at the house of Mr Jordan the following members being present - Pres J. M. McRae Moderator Elders John A. Battman and W. A. Graham and upon a full and free conversation on the alleged unchristian conduct and upon expressions of sorrow and penitence for said conduct from the accused it was ordered that further action be suspended, suspended.

Closed with prayer.

J. M. McRae pr.  
Thomas Gibson, clk.

This was examined & approved by Pres. J. N. Albany  
in Session at Vernon, April 11<sup>th</sup> 1872.

Chas. Hutchinson

Moderator



MINUTES OF SESSION.

Session called on April 14<sup>th</sup> 1872.  
Session convened and was opened with prayer  
by Elder John O. Lattimore other elders present  
W. F. Graham and Thomas Gibney.  
Mr. Evan Richards presented a certificate  
of good and regular standing from the  
Presbyterian Church of Vernon & upon motion  
was received into full communion with  
this church. Closed with prayer by  
James M. McVee Moderator  
Thomas Gibney Clerk

The following report of a Congregational  
meeting is ordered by Session to be  
placed on record.

At a regularly called  
meeting of the congregation held  
at the Church April 13<sup>th</sup> 1872  
for the purpose of electing officers,  
W. L. Simpson and W. H. Carson were  
elected to the office of elder & James  
Dwedy & J. M. McVee and John Thurston  
were elected to the office of Deacons.

John O. Lattimore Mod.  
Joseph Miller Secy

Thomas Gibney Clerk





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their duty as professing christians  
Edgar Wintersten David Shepherd James  
Muster and Charles Madigan.

At their own request Thomas Gibson  
Margaret Gibson his wife and their  
sons David and George Gibson were  
dismissed by letter to the Presbyterian  
church at Beaman. The clerkship  
of session being vacant W. S. Graham  
was chosen to fill the vacancy.  
Closed with prayer by W. S. Graham  
Thomas Gibson

Graham Church Nov-17<sup>th</sup>/12  
session met & was opened with prayer  
James M. McRea moderator Elders present  
Wm. S. Graham Wm. H. Barton  
Nov 17 Mrs. Isabel A. Forbet at her own request was  
dismissed by letter to unite with the Presbyterian  
church at Thornton her name appears in  
volume 1 of minutes closed with prayer  
Wm. S. Graham M.R.



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Graham Church December 14/72  
Session convened & was constituted with  
Prayer Rev James M McKee Moderator  
Elders present Wm G. Simpson  
Wm H. Carson - Wm A. Graham  
absent John O. Lattimer

Dec. 14  
1872

The committee appointed at a previous  
meeting to visit seven persons named  
therein made the following report to wit  
that owing to sickness in some of our  
families we have not had time to call  
on all of said persons & ask for further time  
which was granted

The following named persons have  
on profession of their faith in Christ been  
in to the full communion of the church

- Robert Tweedy Carson
- George Lewis Carson
- Sarah Lewis Winchester
- Anne Bell Winchester

Wm J. Wilson was received by letter  
from the Presbyterian Church of  
Solons Illinois. Closed with Prayer

Wm A. Graham  
Clerk

James M. McKee  
Moderator



## MINUTES OF SESSION.

Graham, Church March 9th/13  
 session convened and was constituted with  
 Prayer Rev. James M. Moore Moderator Elders  
 present Wm. H. Simpson Wm. H. Lawson  
 Wm. A. Graham absent John C. Lattimer  
 William W. Graham at his own request was  
 dismissed by letter to unite with any Evangelical  
 Church in to which God in his providence may lead  
 his lot blessed with prayer

Mar 9  
 1873

Wm. A. Graham clerk  
 Annual Report to Presbytery Spile, 1873  
 added by examination 4  
 by certificate 1

Total No of Communicants 72  
 Sabbath School membership 71

Contributions \$1.04  
 Home missions 20  
 Foreign missions 3  
 Education ---  
 Publication 1-50  
 Relief Fund 3-  
 Sustentation 2  
 General assembly 4-30  
 Ministry salary 225-  
 Congregational & miscellaneous 65-  
 Total funds collected 323





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Graham Church August 24/73  
 Session convened & was constituted with  
 prayer James M. McRea moderator Elders  
 present Wm. S. Simpson Wm. S. Carson  
 Wm. A. Graham The Communion of  
 the Lords Supper was administered  
 Sermons by Rev. David Moffet of  
 Port Wren from the following words  
 "He is risen" the committee appointed at  
 a meeting of session Oct 12th to visit certain  
 persons named in minutes thereof report  
 that they have discharged there duty in part  
 and ask that the committee be continued <sup>request</sup> granted  
 Wm. A. Graham was chosen delegate to  
 Presbytery which meets at New Albany Ind.  
 Church Sept. second 73 & Wm. S. Carson his  
 alternate closed with Prayer  
 Wm. A. Graham Clerk

Time for prayer and approved by Pres  
 of New Albany in session and in 3rd church  
 of New Albany Sept. 4. 1873

Rob. Dickson, Mod.



## MINUTES OF SESSION.

Graham Church October 6th 1873  
 Session convened and was constituted with  
 prayer James, M. M. Reed Moderator Elder  
 present Wm. S. Simpson Wm. H. Carson  
 & Wm. A. Graham absent John C. Lattimer  
 Wm. A. Graham chosen delegate to attend  
 the meeting of Synod winter at Rushville  
 on the 10th of October 1873 & Wm. H. Carson  
 alternate closed with prayer  
 Wm. A. Graham clerk

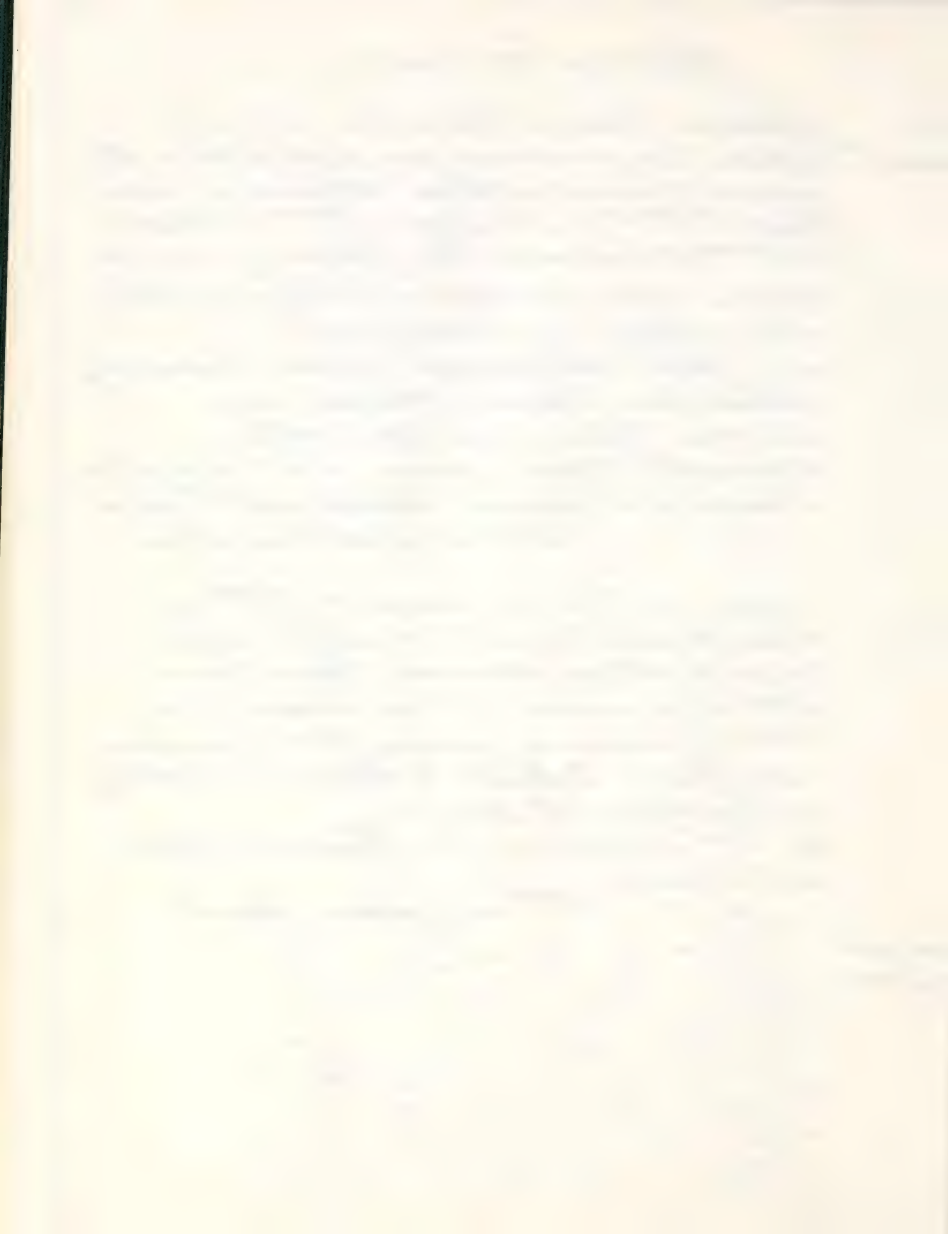
Graham Church Nov 2nd, 1873  
 Session convened & was constituted with  
 prayer James, M. M. Reed Moderator Elder  
 present Wm. S. Simpson Wm. A. Graham  
 & Wm. H. Carson absent John C. Lattimer  
 Mrs Mary Ponderwood presented a letter  
 of recommendation from the Presbyterian  
 Church of Greensburg & on motion was  
 received into the communion of the Church  
 closed with prayer  
 Wm. A. Graham clerk

Oct 6  
 1873

Nov 2  
 1873









## MINUTES OF SESSION.

1874

Preliminary

July 16-26

Graham Church July 15th 1874  
 session convened and was constituted with prayer  
 Dr. Henry Littel Moderator Elder present  
 John O. Tallimore Wm. S. Simpson.

Wm. S. Graham Wm. Lander appeared  
 before the session and presented letters of  
 recommendation from the Presbyterian Church  
 of Hanover for him self & Ann Lander his  
 wife where upon they were received in to the  
 communion of the church on motion the  
 session adjourned till to morrow after service

Graham Church July 16th 1874

the sacrament of the Lords supper  
 dispensed services by Rev Dr. H. Littel  
 chairman of the Board of home missions  
 for New Albany Presbyterian session  
 convened according to the adjournment  
 there being no business session  
 closed with prayer

Wm. S. Graham Clerk

1874

October 11th

Graham Church October the 11 1874  
 session convened & was constituted with prayer  
 Rev J. C. Dyer Moderator Elders present Wm. S. Graham  
 Wm. S. Simpson Wm. S. Graham George Messinger  
 Elizabeth his wife presented letters of recom-  
 mendation from the Presbyterian Church of  
 Pleasant Ridge Ohio and on motion they were  
 received into the communion of the church  
 closed with prayer

Wm. S. Graham Clerk





## MINUTES OF SESSION.

1874

November 21st

Graham Church Nov 21st/74

Session convened and was constituted  
with prayer Rev. J. B. Hunt Moderator  
Elders present Wm. G. Simpson  
Wm. A. Graham Miss Matilda Coleman  
presented a letter of recommendation  
from the Presbyterian Church of  
Fleasant Ridge, Ohio was received in  
to the communion of the Church  
closed with prayer

Wm. A. Graham clerk

Annual report  
1874 to 1875

Annual report to Presbytery for  
April 1875

Added on reception of

Latter

De. Certificate 5  
No. of communicants 79  
Infant baptisms 2  
Adults 4

Minister's salary 1

No. of children in school several co  
pays followed

Minister's salary 100

Congregational

total

$$\frac{20}{180}$$



## MINUTES OF SESSION.

1844  
April 4<sup>th</sup>

Graham Church April 4<sup>th</sup> 1844  
 Session convened and was constituted  
 with prayer J. C. Bart Moderator  
 Elders present Wm. G. Simpson  
 Wm. H. Larson or another  
 Wm. A. Graham was chosen delegate  
 to attend the spring meeting of  
 Synod which meets in second  
 church Madison co Wm. H. Larson  
 not present closed with prayer

Wm. A. Graham clerk

1845  
April 18<sup>th</sup>

Graham Church April 18<sup>th</sup> 1845  
 Session convened and was constituted  
 with prayer J. C. Bart Moderator  
 Elders present Wm. G. Simpson  
 Wm. H. Larson James T. Atmore  
 Thomas Giboney James Barry  
 E. Barnes Mary J. C. H. Garrison  
 Presented themselves before the  
 session and after giving satisfactory  
 evidence of their faith in Christ  
 were received in to the communion  
 of the church closed with prayer

Wm. A. Graham clerk



## MINUTES OF SESSION.

1875

July 4<sup>th</sup>

Graham Church July 4<sup>th</sup> 1875  
 Session convened and was constituted  
 with prayer J. E. Best Moderator  
 Elders present Wm. G. Simpson  
 Wm. H. Benson Wm. A. Graham  
 Miss Mary M. Russell presented a letter  
 of recommendation from the Fairview C.  
 Church and was received into the communion  
 of the Church. Celestine Gordon as  
 all going Gordon presented themselves  
 before the session after giving  
 satisfactory evidence of their faith  
 in Christ were received into the  
 communion of the Church  
 closed with prayer  
 Wm. A. Graham M. L. K.

1875

September 12

Graham Church September 12<sup>th</sup> 1875  
 Session convened and was constituted  
 with prayer Elders present Wm. G. Simpson  
 Wm. H. Benson absent on  
 account of sickness J. E. Lathrop  
 as Wm. A. Graham on motion  
 Wm. G. Simpson was chosen delegate  
 as Wm. A. Graham his alternate to  
 attend the next meeting of Presbytery  
 which meets at Ploverston Sept 14<sup>th</sup> 1875  
 there being no other business session adjourned  
 closed with prayer  
 Wm. A. Graham Church





## MINUTES OF SESSION.

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Thus far Examined and Approved in  
Presbytery at Brownstown, Ind. 15<sup>th</sup> Sept. 1875

J. M. Hutchison  
Moderator

1875

December 4<sup>th</sup>

Graham Church December 4<sup>th</sup> 1875  
Session convened and was constituted  
with prayer rev. G. B. Rust Moderator  
Elders present Wm. H. Hanson Wm. J. Graham  
Miss Taralley Graham presented herself  
before session and after giving satisfactory  
evidence of her faith in Christ was received  
into the communion of the church  
closed with prayer

Wm. J. Graham Clerk

1876

January 30<sup>th</sup>

Graham Church January 30<sup>th</sup> 1876  
session convened and was constituted  
with prayer rev. G. B. Rust moderator  
Elders present Wm. H. Hanson  
Wm. J. Graham and Margaret Jordan  
at her own request was dismissed  
by letter to the Presbyterian Church  
at Vernon closed with prayer

Wm. J. Graham Clerk



## MINUTES OF SESSION.

1876  
March 26<sup>th</sup> - Graham Church March 26<sup>th</sup> 1876  
Session convened <sup>at 10. Most also present</sup> and was constituted  
with prayer Elders present  
Wm. S. Simpson Wm. H. Carson  
and Wm. A. Graham Lewis S. Shepherd  
was dismissed by letter to unite  
with the Hopewell M. E. Church  
on motion Wm. S. Simpson was  
chosen Delegate to attend the  
the Spring meeting of Presbytery  
to be begun and held on the fourth  
day of April 1876 in the Presbyterian <sup>Church</sup>  
of Jeffersonville closed with prayer  
Wm. A. Graham Clerk

Annual report  
1875 to 1876 annual report to Presbytery from April 1875 to  
April 1876

Added one Examination	1
Certificate	1
Total No of Communicants	26
Adults Baptized	5
Infants	2



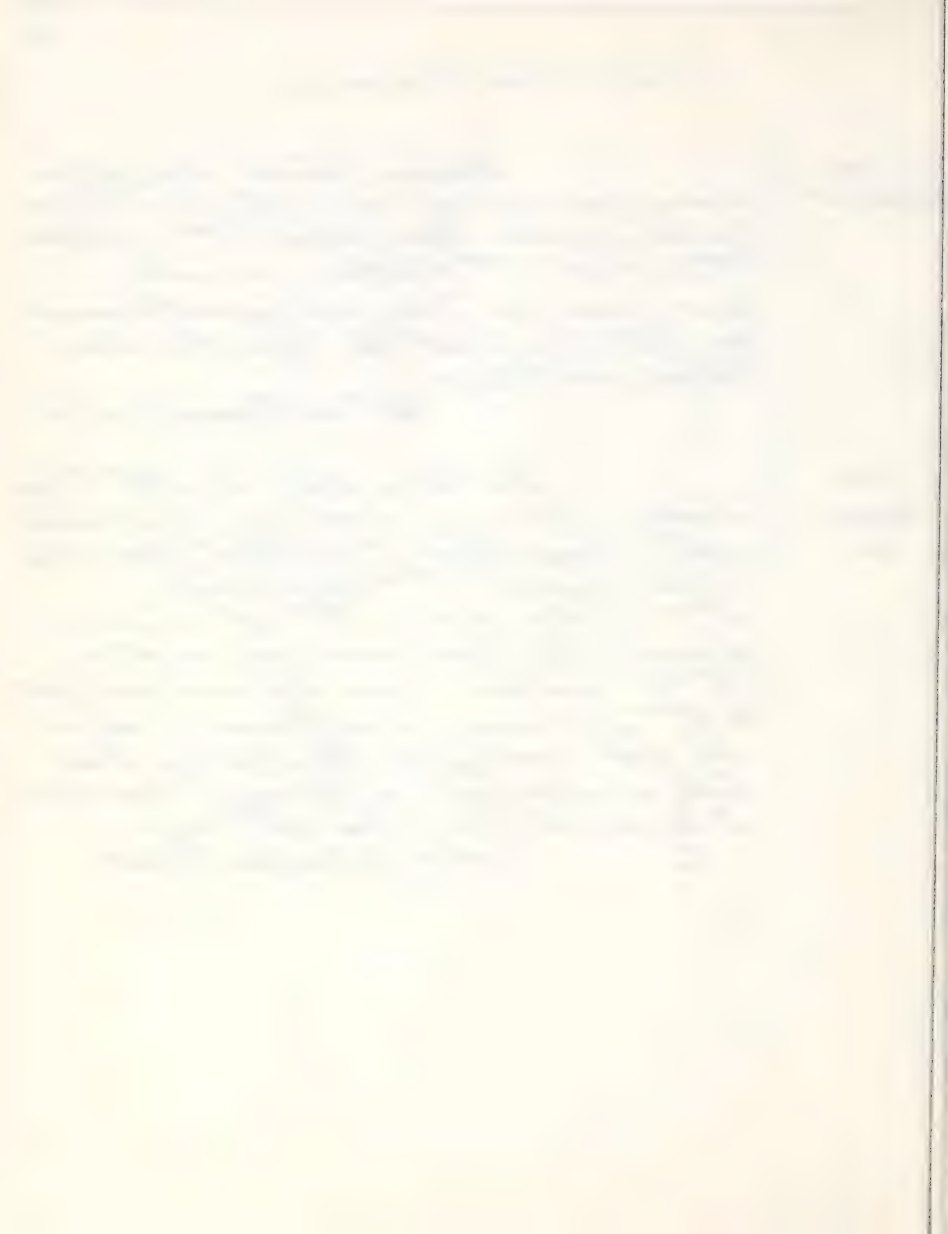
## MINUTES OF SESSION.

1896  
May 9th

Graham Church May 7th 1896  
Session convened and was constituted with prayer  
J. L. Best Moderator Elders present Wm. B. Simpson  
Wm. H. Carson Wm. A. Graham on motion  
Sarah Carson was at her own request dismissed  
by letter to unite with the Presb. M. E. Church  
Closed with Prayer  
Wm. A. Graham Clerk

1896  
September  
8d

Graham Church Sept. 3, 1896  
Session convened and was constituted  
with Prayer Rev. J. L. Best Moderator  
Elders present Wm. A. Graham  
Wm. B. Simpson, Wm. H. Carson  
absent, J. O. Lathmore on motion  
Wm. A. Graham was chosen delegate  
or Wm. H. Carson his alternate to attend  
the fall meeting of Presbytery to be  
held at Semour on Tuesday Sept. 12/96  
at ten o'clock Pm. Closed with Prayer  
Wm. A. Graham Clerk



## MINUTES OF SESSION.

1846  
October 28<sup>th</sup> *Seaborn Church Oct. 28/46*  
session convened and was constituted  
with Prayer Moderator Rev. J. L. Burt  
Elders present Wm. G. Simpson  
Wm. H. Benson & Wm. A. Graham  
on motion Evan Richards and  
John Underwood & Mary Underwood  
his wife at their own request were  
dismissed by letter closed with prayer  
Wm. A. Graham Clerk

1846  
November 12<sup>th</sup> *Seaborn Church November 12/46*  
Session convened and was constituted  
with Prayer Rev. J. L. Burt Moderator  
Elders present Wm. A. Graham Wm. G. Simpson  
Wm. H. Benson the following named persons  
presented themselves before the session  
and upon profession of their faith in  
Christ were received into the fellowship  
of the Church Mr. James Richards & Mariah  
Richards his wife - Levia Richards & Pettie Richards  
Jacob Mowatt Emma Thompson Mary J.  
Hendricks Mary E. Stedman as the  
following person by letter Mrs. Christian  
McCauley Mr. Wm. Key & Elizabeth Key  
his wife after which the sacrament of the  
Lord's supper was observed closed with prayer  
Wm. A. Graham Clerk





## - MINUTES OF SESSION.

1824  
January 4<sup>th</sup> Grahams Church Janury 4<sup>th</sup> 1824  
Session convened and was constituted  
with prayer Moderator Wm. S. Burt  
Elders present Wm. S. Graham, Wm. S.  
Simpson absent Wm. S. Burt on  
account of sickness John C. Tattum was  
not near the following named persons  
presented themselves before the  
Session & a <sup>good</sup> satisfactory evidence  
of their faith in Christ was received  
into the full communion of the Church  
Mary C. Redman Oliver D. Bonham  
Emma Twedy Elisabetha J. J. J.  
Maria Hendricks Anna B. Shepard  
Lewy J. Masket Rebecca Gordon  
Mary C. Graham Almira Gordon  
Closed with Prayer  
Wm. S. Burt

1824  
January 21<sup>st</sup> Grahams Church Janury 21<sup>st</sup> 1824  
Session convened and was constituted with  
prayer Rev. J. S. Burt Moderator Elders  
present Wm. S. Simpson Wm. S. Graham  
absent John C. Tattum The following  
named persons on profession of their faith  
in Christ were received into the full  
communion of the Church, Reason Redman  
Thomas Benton, Graham, Samuel, Salmon  
Aborton, Lewy, Bonham Nancy Jane Sibony  
Sida A. Bonham Closed with Prayer

Wm. S. Graham Clerk



## MINUTES OF SESSION.

1877  
April 1stGraham Church. April 1<sup>st</sup> / 77.

Session convened and was constituted with prayer J. C. Burt moderator. Elders present W. H. Carson, N. A. Graham. W. C. Thompson on motion W. A. Graham was chosen delegate to attend presbytery which meets at first church Meadison Ind on Tuesday April 3. There being no other business session adjourned, closed with prayer.

W. A. Graham  
Clerk

Annual report - Annual report to presbytery from April 1, 1876 to April 1, 1877

Added on examination - - - - - 27

By certificate - - - - - 3

Total number of communicants - - - 108

Adults Baptized - - - - - 13

Infants - - - - - 1

No of children in S. S. - - - - - 20

Funds collected

Ministers salary - - - - - \$200.00

Commissioners fund. - - - - - 6.88

Total - - - 206.88 cts

W. A. Graham  
Clerk



## MINUTES OF SESSION.

1877

April 15<sup>th</sup>

Graham Church April 15/77

Session convened and  
 was constituted with prayer. Rev  
 J. C. Burt moderator Elders present  
 Wm. A. Graham W. G. Simpson  
 W. A. Carson. Samuel McEllan appeared  
 personally before the session after giving  
 satisfactory evidence of his faith in  
 Christ was received into full communion  
 of the Church. There being no other  
 business session adjourned Closed with  
 prayer

Wm. A. Graham  
 Clerk

1877

September 2<sup>nd</sup>

Graham Church Sept 2/77

Session convened  
 and was constituted with prayer  
 Rev J. C. Burt moderator Elders  
 present Wm. A. Graham  
 Wm. G. Simpson Wm. A. Carson  
 on motion John O. Lattimore  
 was chosen delegate and Wm. A.  
 Carson alternat to attend Presbytery  
 which convenes at North River  
 the eleventh of September 1877  
 at seven and a half P.M.  
 closed with prayer

Wm. A. Graham Clerk





## MINUTES OF SESSION.

has far examined and approved by  
the Presbytery of New Albany in session at  
North Vernon. Sept. 12<sup>th</sup> 1877.

J. M. M. & Rec.  
Mod in m

1877  
December 23<sup>d</sup> Graham Church. December 23, 1877  
Session convened and was constituted with prayer  
J. M. M. & Rec. Moderator elders present  
W. G. Simpson W. H. Carson W. H. Graham.  
Especially appeared before the session W. H. Elbery  
Shepherd, who after giving satisfactory evidence  
of his faith in Christ was received into the  
Church. There being no other business session  
adjourned

W. H. Graham  
Clerk

1878  
September 22 Graham Church September 22, 1878  
Session convened and was opened with  
prayer Rev. J. C. Burt Moderator  
elders present W. G. Carson  
W. H. A. Graham obs. M. A. Biglow  
presented a letter of recommendation from  
the Presbyterian Church of Perrytown Ill.  
and was received into the full communion  
of the Church there being no other business  
session closed with Prayer

W. H. A. Graham Clerk



## MINUTES OF SESSION.

1848

December 15<sup>th</sup>

Graham Church

December 16<sup>th</sup> 1848

Session commenced and was constituted with prayer  
 by Rev. J. C. Burt Moderator.

Elders present

Wm. M. Graham. N. S. Simpson W. H. Carson  
 about J. C. Kallman. Miss Annora.

Bickins presented herself before the session and  
 after giving satisfactory evidence of her faith  
 in Christ was received into full communion  
 of the church.

There being no other business  
 Session adjourned closed with prayer

Wm. M. Graham

Clerk

1848

January 12<sup>th</sup>

Graham Church

January 12<sup>th</sup> 1848

Session commenced and was constituted  
 by prayer Rev. J. C. Burt Moderator  
 before Session Elders N. S. Simpson who  
 after giving satisfactory evidence of  
 his faith in Christ was received into  
 full communion of the church.

Elders present

W. S. Simpson W. H. Carson W. M. Graham  
 about J. C. Kallman.

There being no other  
 business Session adjourned closed with prayer  
 Wm. M. Graham



## MINUTES OF SESSION.

1878  
February 3<sup>rd</sup> Graham Church

February 9<sup>th</sup> 1878  
Session met and was constituted with  
prayer Rev. J. C. Bart. moderator.  
W. H. Carson. J. V. Lath more. <sup>Editors present</sup> M. J. Dimmock.  
W. H. Graham.

Byronville appeared before  
the session Edwin J. Babine who after giving  
satisfactory evidence of his faith in Christ was  
received into full membership of the Church.

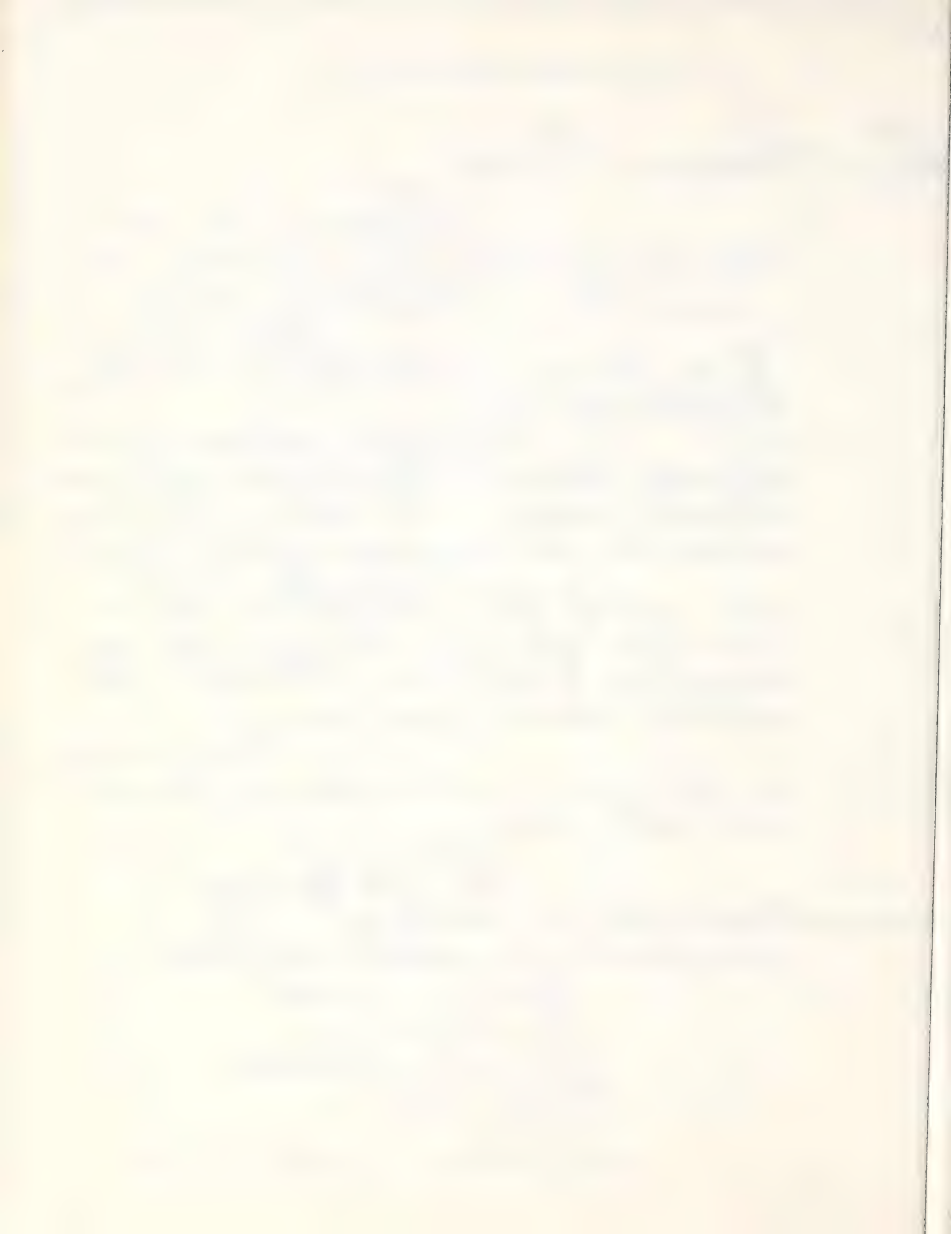
Session then took a  
recess while the Rev. D. D. McKee delivered  
an address after which the Lord's supper was  
administered by the Rev. J. C. Bart. after  
which the session again convened.

There being  
no other business Session adjourned  
closed with prayer.

W. H. Graham

1878  
Annual report to Presbytery  
from April 1<sup>st</sup> 1877 to April 1<sup>st</sup> 1878 Clerk

Added on examination	15
By certificate - - -	10
Total no. of communicants	167
Adults baptised - - - -	15
Infants " - - - -	2
No. of children in S.S.	80



## MINUTES OF SESSION.

1878  
April 6<sup>th</sup>

## Graham Church

April 6<sup>th</sup> 1878

Session met and was constituted with prayer  
 Rev J. C. Burt moderator

Elders present  
 W. H. Carson W. G. Simpson W. M. Graham

Personally appeared before  
 the session Mrs Martha Shepherd who after  
 giving satisfactory evidence of her faith in Christ  
 was received into the full communion of the  
 church.

There being no other business session  
 adjourned closed with prayer

Wm M Graham  
 Clerk

1878  
Nov 16<sup>th</sup>

## Graham Church

Nov 16<sup>th</sup> 1878

Session met and was constituted with prayer  
 Rev J. C. Burt moderator. Elders present

W. G. Simpson, W. H. Carson, W. M. Graham

Personally appeared before Session  
 Mrs. Emma Gibson nee Miss Lizzie Fendley  
 who after giving satisfactory evidence of their faith  
 in Christ were received into the communion of the  
 church. The former was fasting a little from the  
 Church the latter formerly belonged to the N. F. M. P. Church  
 which had ceased to exist.

Closed with prayer  
 Wm M Graham  
 Clerk of Session





## MINUTES OF SESSION.

December 14<sup>th</sup>  
1877

## Graham Church

December 14<sup>th</sup> 1877

Session met - and was opened with prayer.  
Rev - J. A. Burt - moderator.

Elders present -

W. A. Graham W. B. Carson absent W. B. Simpson  
J. C. Lathrop. At their own request Margaret Redman  
late Mrs Margaret Barnes and Miss Thelma Gibney  
were dismissed by letter. The letter to be sent to W. P.  
church at Grandview Ind -

There being no other  
business session adjourned closed with prayer.

W. A. Graham

Clerk

March 4<sup>th</sup> 1877Graham Church March 4<sup>th</sup> 1877

session commenced as was customary  
with prayer by J. A. Burt moderator Elders  
present W. A. Graham W. B. Simpson  
W. B. Carson absent J. C. Lathrop  
on motion W. A. Graham was chosen delegate  
to attend the spring meeting of Presbytery which  
commenced at Sonoma Ind Mary Farnel. Owen  
at her own request was dismissed by letter

W. A. Graham Clerk



MINUTES OF SESSION.

Graham Church Jan. 9. 1881

Session convened and was constituted with prayer. Rev. J. B. McKim Mod.  
Elders present W. H. Carson W. G. Simpson and Thos. Giboney. J. M. Simpson was dismissed by letter to unite with the Presbyterian Church of Hopston  
Sole closed with prayer  
Thos. Giboney clerk  
Protem

Graham Church July 24 1880

Session convened and was opened with prayer. Members present Rev. J. C. Burt W. H. Carson & W. G. Simpson  
Received by letter from the Woman's Presbyterian Church - Thomas Giboney Margaret Giboney his wife and his two sons David H. & Geo. W. Giboney  
Closed with prayer  
W. H. Carson clk  
Protem

July 25 1880

Thomas Giboney having been duly elected to the office of Ruling Elder (after his return from the Woman's Church) was this day Ordained and Installed

W. H. Carson c. l. k.  
Protem



## MINUTES OF SESSION.

Aug 22  
1880

Graham Church Aug 22 1880  
James McVattimore and Walter M.  
Hearson having been duly Elected  
to the office of Deacon at a  
con. meeting held July 24 1880  
and by signing their acceptance  
were this day Ordained and Installed.

W. M. Carson  
clerk

Nov 14  
1880

Graham Church Nov 14 1880  
Session convened and was constituted  
with prayer Rev. J. E. Burt made  
Elders present W. G. Simpson Thomas  
Gileman and W. M. Carson Rev. J. E. Burt  
was appointed a Sessional com with  
to visit Mrs. Mary E. Williamson late  
Mary E. Graham who being charged  
(by com on June) with unchristian  
conduct to report at next Sessional meeting  
closed with prayer

W. M. Carson clerk  
proten

Dec. 12  
1880

Graham Church Dec. 12 1880  
Session convened and was constituted  
with prayer by one of the members-present  
Rev. J. E. Burt - Mod W. G. Simpson Thomas Gileman  
and John C. Vattimore and W. M. Carson  
upon the Report of Rev J. E. Burt





## MINUTES OF SESSION.

Dec 12  
1880

who as a Sessional com. appointed  
by Session Nov 14. 1880. Mrs Mary E. Feather  
late Mary E. Graham was suspended  
from the communion of the Church  
until she shall give satisfactory evidence  
of penitence Closed with prayer

W. H. Carson  
Clerk pro tem

Sept 18  
1881

Graham Church Sept 18. 1881  
Session convened and was constituted  
with prayer Rev. J. C. Rust Mod  
Elders present J. C. Lettmore W. E.  
Simpson Thomas Giboney and W. H. Carson  
Miss Fizzie A. Carson was at her own  
request dismissed to the Hopewell  
Ch. Church Closed with prayer

W. H. Carson  
Clerk pro tem

Oct 2  
1881

Graham Church Oct 2 1881  
Session convened and was opened  
with prayer Rev J. C. Rust Mod  
Elders present W. E. Simpson W. H. Carson  
and Thomas Giboney Geo. W. Gib  
was recommended to the Board  
of Education for aid Closed  
with prayer

W. H. Carson  
Clerk pro tem



MINUTES OF SESSION.

Graham Church Oct 16 1881  
Session convened and was constituted  
with prayer by Elder Giboney. Rev. J. C. Hunt  
Mod. Elders present Giboney and  
W. H. Carson David F. Giboney and  
his wife Emma Giboney were at  
their own request dismissed to  
unite with the Presbyterian Ch.  
of Rushville Ind. Closed with  
prayer

(W. H. Carson M.  
Protem

Graham Church Oct 30 1881  
Session convened and was constituted  
with prayer by Eld. Carson Rev. J. C. Hunt  
Mod Eld present W. H. Simpson Tho  
Giboney and W. H. Carson.

Mrs. Ollie Southerland was at her  
own request dismissed to the  
Presbyterian Church of Putville  
Licking Co. Ohio Closed with prayer

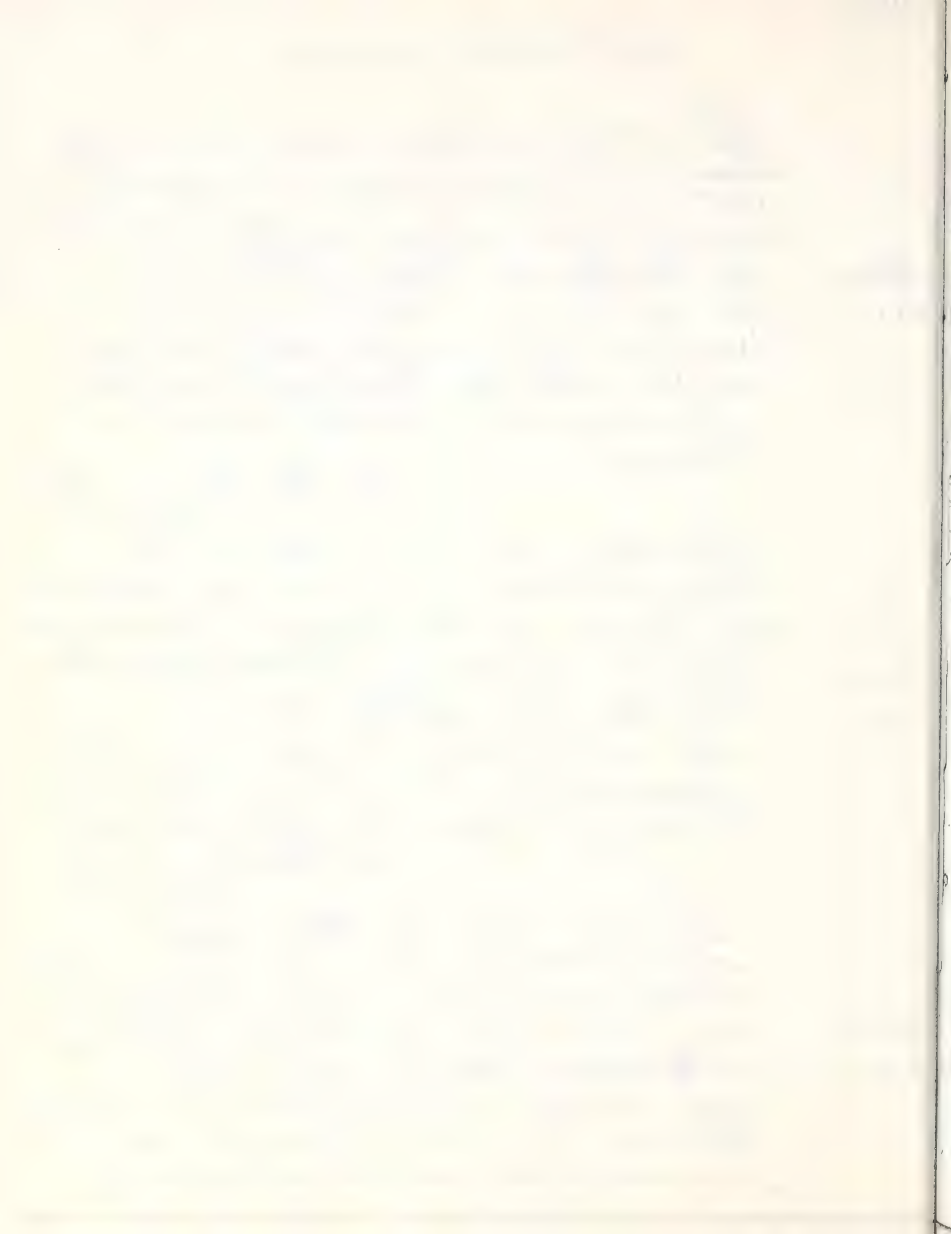
(W. H. Carson M.  
Protem

Graham Church Feb 18, 1882  
Session convened and was constituted  
with prayer by Elder Giboney Rev. J. C. Hunt  
Mod Elders present Tho Giboney and  
W. H. Carson Miss Cordine Lepp was  
upon profession of her faith received into  
the Church Miss Anne B. Winchester was  
admitted to the Presbyterian Church of

Oct 16  
1881

Oct 30  
1881

Feb 18  
1882



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Franklin Johnson co Indiana  
Closed with prayer

W. H. Carson

Clerk Protem

Graham Church May 1, 1881

Session convened and was opened  
with prayer Rev. J. C. Rust Moderator  
Elders present John O. Lattimore  
W. G. Simpson W. H. Carson and Thomas  
Giboney. Upon profession of their faith  
in Christ the following named persons  
were received into the Church

May 1  
1881

Mary Lander, Mrs. Ollie Southerland  
Carrie Farmer Mr. Joseph Gordon  
William Lattimore Alexander Giboney  
Minnie Lattimore Isabel Lander  
Hellen Lander Mrs. Mary White  
Mr. Melvin H. White Clara E. Carson  
Luc Perry Ella Moritz Fanny Moritz  
Jessie G. Kouberry Stella M. Coriberry  
Stella J. Redman John Simpson  
Gance M. Correll Willie Biglow  
Lorin Biglow & Mrs. Elizabeth Dunham  
Closed with prayer

W. H. Carson

Clerk Protem



# MINUTES OF SESSION.

Graham Church May 29, 1881

Session convened and was constituted with prayer Rev. J. C. Burt Moderator Elders present John C. Lattimore W. G. Simpson W. H. Carson and Thomas Gibney

The following persons were upon profession of their <sup>first</sup> faith in Christ received into the Church Lizzie B. Carson John H. Stedman and Anna B. Simpson closed with prayer

W. H. Carson  
Clerk pro tem

May 29  
1881

Graham Church Mar. 1. 1882

Session convened and held an informal meeting Members present Rev. J. C. Burt Mod Elders W. G. Simpson Thomas Gibney & W. H. Carson The Sessional Records were examined and Thomas Gibney was chosen Sessional Clerk

W. H. Carson  
Clerk pro tem

Mar 1  
1882

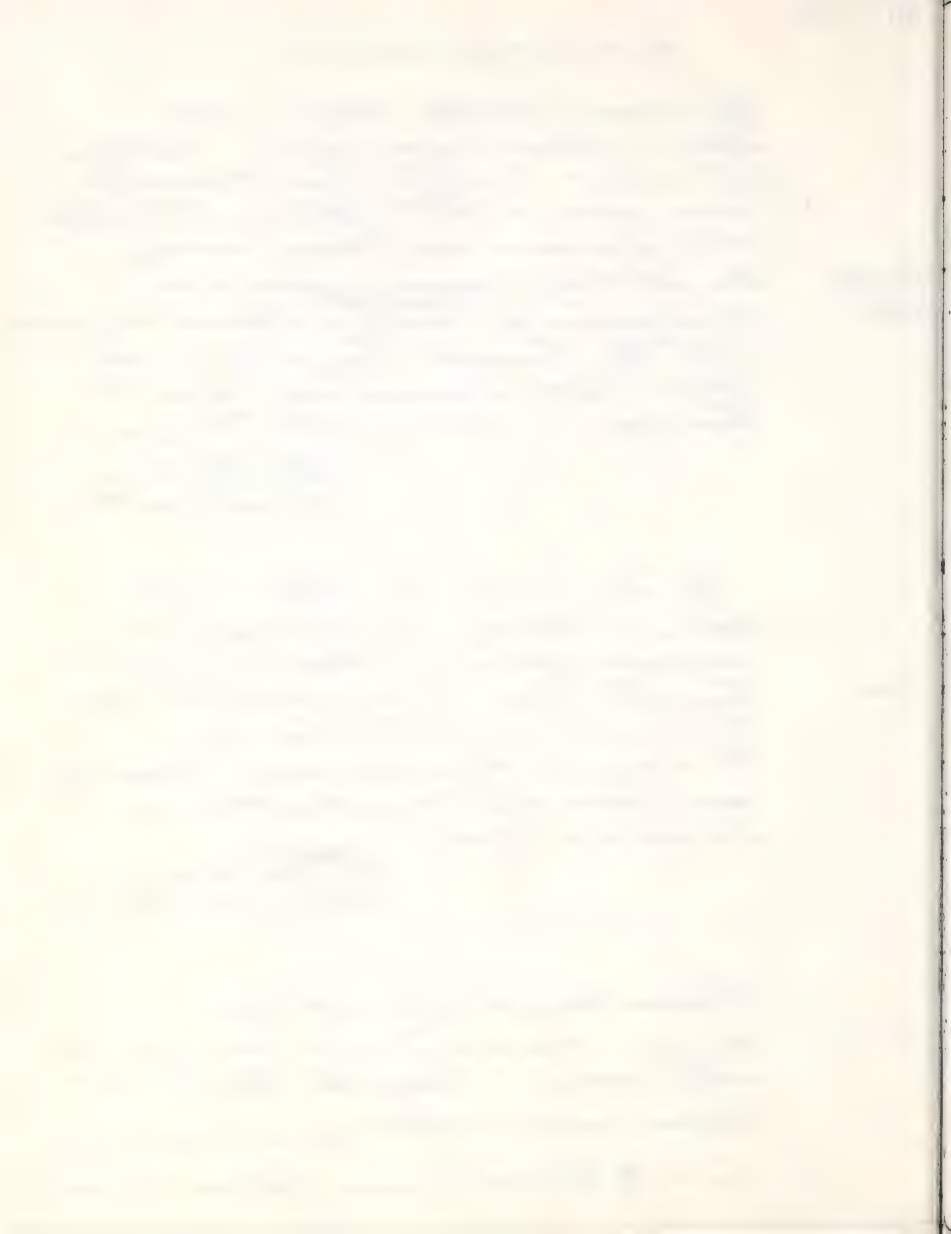
Graham Church Apr. 2<sup>nd</sup> 1882

Session convened and was opened with prayer Moderator Rev. J. C. Burt Elders present W. H. Carson & W. G. Simpson

Lincy B. Winchester and Matilda C. Winchester

Apr. 2  
1882





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were dismissed by letter to the Presbyterian Church  
at Franklin Ind. Closed with  
prayer

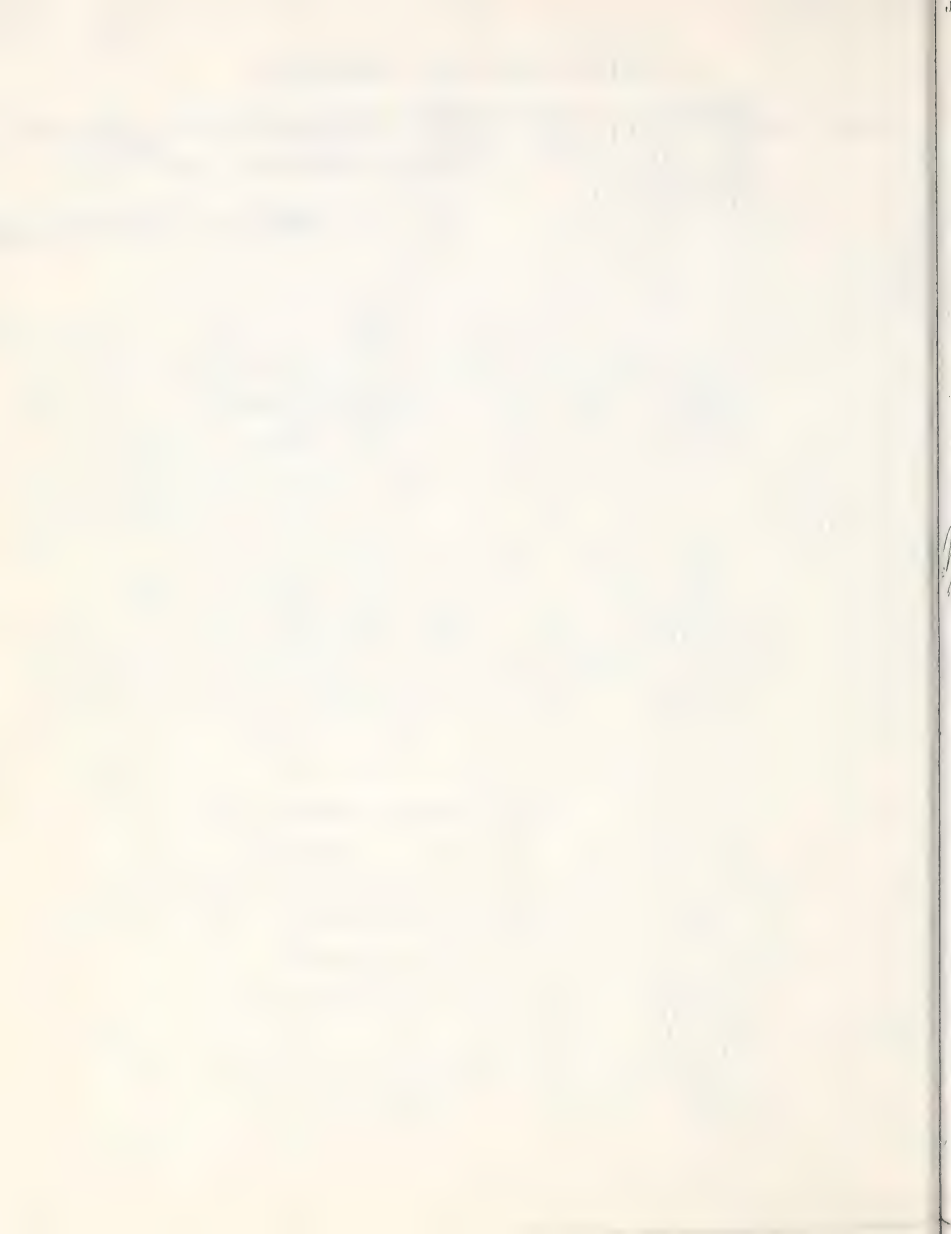
Thomas Giboney Clerk

Feb. 18  
1883

Graham Ch Feb 18 1883  
Session convened after public service  
and was opened with prayer by the  
Moderator Rev. J. E. Burr. Members  
present W. A. Graham W. H. Carson  
and Thomas Giboney. The following  
named persons were dismissed by letter  
to unite with the Congregational  
Church at Center Ridge Kansas  
E. W. Biglow Mrs. E. W. Biglow and their  
sons Willie & Lorin Biglow and E. J. Biglow.  
Closed with prayer in the Holy Spirit.  
T. Giboney Clerk

Mar. 18  
1883

Graham Ch Mar 18 1883  
Session convened and was con-  
tinued with prayer Moderator  
Rev. J. E. Burr Elders present W. A.  
Simpson W. A. Graham R. J. Carson  
H. Carson was chosen delegate to the  
next meeting of Christening and W. A.  
Graham latter role. Closed with  
prayer by the Moderator J. E. Burr.  
T. Giboney Clerk



## MINUTES OF SESSION.

Session held May 13<sup>th</sup> 1883  
 Session met at the usual place. The  
 Moderator and was joined with  
 prayer. Elders present J. J. Williams  
 W. H. Graham. M. J. Simpson. W. H. Peterson.  
 and Thomas G. Johnson.  
 The session having known that for  
 some months past rumors were  
 widely circulating that the  
 Cong. & Community Board judicial to  
 the Christian Opera Co. and  
 founding of White K. White  
 member of this church. It was  
 informally wished that said  
 J. H. W. H. Carson was appointed  
 a Com. to visit said White and converse  
 with him in regard to said rumors  
 and report the same to the result of.  
 The same circumstances presented  
 for Carson from at once attending  
 to the duty assigned him and after  
 six weeks at the request of said  
 for Carson the Moderator and Elder  
 Johnson were asked to the Com.  
 and on the 14<sup>th</sup> of April last said  
 Com. visited said White & conversed  
 with him concerning the rumors  
 of said White denied the truth  
 of all rumors touching his family  
 with any dishonesty or theft charged  
 on said rumors. The admitted

May 18  
 1883



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that he had at two different times  
been under the influence of intem-  
perate drink expressing sorrow and  
regret therefor. In the absence of  
proofs that would justify an action  
against the bro for theft and his  
positive denial of said charge of  
theft therefore the Com. voted that  
in view of said facts stated above  
nothing further can be done. The  
Session after hearing the report  
of the Com. entered into a free &  
full conference. It was ascertained  
that since the interview related  
above rumors against him had  
grown; and that a few days ago  
he had been arrested by the officers  
of the Law and taken to Johnston  
Co to be tried for complicity in  
horse stealing. In view of the present  
situation in regard to the matter both  
in the Church and Community  
the Session directed the Moderator  
Rev. E. B. B. to make the following  
public statement from the pulpit  
at the afternoon service of  
today. In view of the known  
in this Cong. & region that McBride who  
is widely charged by Public rumor  
as being guilty of criminal and  
un-Christian character.

May 10  
1883





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May 13  
1883

view of the further fact that within the past  
 20 days said White has been arrested by  
 the officers of the Law on account of  
 said rumors and is now in custody  
 awaiting his trial. Session deems to  
 state that up to the time of his arrest  
 it has taken all the proper precautions  
 steps in enquiring into the facts  
 which are provided for in our  
 discipline and as the matter is  
 pending it can only wait the result  
 of action <sup>in the courts</sup> and at such future time  
 as Providence may give light  
 as to their further duty as officers  
 in the Church they will endeavor  
 to discharge their duty as to any  
 further action in the case  
 (Case 2) with propriety.

Thomas Gilney Clerk

June 10  
1883

Grassland Church June 10th 1883  
 At an informal meeting of Session the  
 Clerk was directed to issue a letter  
 of dismission to Mrs. Harvance Simpson  
 to unite with the Presbyterian Church  
 of North River Ind.

Wm. A. Simpson



## MINUTES OF SESSION.

Whereas Melvin H. White member of this Church was recently charged with the crime of Concealing Stolen property - and whereas said White was arraigned and tried by the Civil Court of Jennings County State of Ind. at its October term 1883. and was found guilty of said crime and sentenced to the Penitentiary and whereas it is the duty of Session to take such action as to it shall seem best for the spiritual interests of the Church; and whereas the Session being fully convinced of the guilt as charged above it is hereby resolved that in view of the foregoing statement of facts and in view of the further fact that Session is satisfied that during the time said White was awaiting trial by the Court he was guilty of Indignity of Profanity & drunkenness it is therefore decided that said M. H. White be and is hereby excluded from membership in the Church. It was further ordered by Session that said action be publicly announced to the congregation at the next public service. Members present Rev. L. E. Barry Mod. Elders W. H. Carson W. A. Graham John O. Hallinore and W. G. Simpson. Meeting opened & closed with prayer Nov. 25 1883. Thomas Gehring Eld.

Nov 25  
1883.



## MINUTES OF SESSION.

April  
1884.

Annual Report to Presbytery  
to be held Apr. 8 1884 at the 1st Ch. Meeting Ind.  
C/o. of Elders & Deacons 4  
Total Communicants 74  
Contributions

Home Missions	\$10.00
Foreign Missions	\$3.58
Education	\$5.00
Publication	\$1.55
Ch. Erection	\$3.14
Relief fund	\$1.70
Freedman	
Sustentation	
Aid for Colleges	
General Assembly	\$7.30
Congregationals	\$319.75
Miscellaneous	

Thus far examined & approved  
by Presbytery in Session at New Albany  
Dec. 9/84 -

J. H. Barnard Mod.



## MINUTES OF SESSION.

Graham Church June 13, 1886

Session convened and was constituted with prayer - Members present John O. Galtman Thomas Gibony and Rev. James Gilchrist Moderator. Upon confession of his faith in Christ Benjamin H. Lundy was received into the Church. Closed with prayer

Thomas Gibony, Clerk

Graham Church Aug 14<sup>th</sup> 1886

Session convened and was opened with prayer. Members present - Rev. James Gilchrist - Moderator John O. Galtman W. D. Simpson and Thomas Gibony

At the request of Prof. Garret Chairman of the Presbyterial board of Home Missions the Session Renewed its recommendation of the following young men for aid from the Board of Home Missions - George W. Gibony J. J. Gibony & William Galtman. Sunday Aug 15<sup>th</sup> the Session being kept open from yesterday - being communion dinner Miss Elizabeth J. Mason applied for membership & upon profession of her faith in Christ was received into the Church. Closed with prayer

Thomas Gibony, Clerk





## MINUTES OF SESSION.

Graham Church Dec. 11 1886  
 Session convened and was opened  
 with prayer Members present, Rev. Car.  
 Gilchrist Moderator Elders W. A. Graham  
 & Thomas Giloney. A series of meetings  
 being in progress Commencing Dec 2.  
 Miss Dell Graham presented herself  
 before the session & upon her profession  
 of faith in Christ was received into  
 the Church Session remained open  
 taking recess from day to day until  
 Dec 21<sup>st</sup> during which time the following  
 persons were received into the Church  
 upon profession of their faith in  
 Christ Dec. 12 Geo. E. Weston Dec. 14 Maggie  
 Wilson Dec. 17 Mrs. Julia Wilson &  
 Andrew Giloney Dec. 21 John Wilson.  
 Mr. Joseph Ware a young man who was  
 attending the meetings came before the  
 session on the evening of Dec. 20 and  
 stated that he felt it to be his duty  
 to confess Christ and asked to be rec-  
 ommended to the <sup>synod</sup> Baptist Church of  
~~Amherst~~ Closed with prayer

Thomas Giloney Clk



## MINUTES OF SESSION.

Apr 10, 1886

April. 10<sup>th</sup> 1886 - Graham Church  
 Session Convened and was constituted  
 with prayer by the Moderator Rev. James  
 Gilchrist. Elders present John C. Lattimore  
 W. E. Simpson W. A. Graham and Thomas Gibney.  
 Miss Weston was upon profession  
 of her faith in Christ was received into  
 the Church Closed with prayer

Thomas Gibney c. M.

## Graham Church

Sept 7 1887

Session Convened and  
 was opened with prayer Members present  
 Rev. J. Gilchrist - Moderator. Elders Geo. C. Lattimore  
 W. A. Graham V. G. Simpson and Thomas Gibney.  
 After consulting in regard to some business  
 matters session took recess until Saturday  
 Aug 24. On Saturday Morning Aug 24 session  
 met as per adjournment on Sept 4<sup>th</sup> at which  
 time Mrs. Alice C. Gibney was by letter  
 from the M. E. Church of Hopewell Springs  
 E. Ind. received to membership.  
 Thomas Gibney was chosen delegate to Presbytery  
 Session closed with prayer by Elder W. E. Simpson

Thomas Gibney c. M.



## MINUTES OF SESSION.

Graham Church Oct. 16 1887

Session convened and was opened with prayer. Members present W. G. Luntzmore, W. E. Simpson, W. A. Graham, Thomas Gibson and James Gilchrist Moderator.

Letters of dismission were granted to W. L. Wilson and wife to unite with the Norman Presbyterian Church.

closed with prayer

Thomas Gibson  
Clerk

Graham Church September 19 1890

Session convened and was opened with Prayer Ed. H. C. Cree moderator. Elders present W. G. Simpson W. A. Graham, Thomas Gibson, having moved out of the Branch of the Church. Wm. A. Graham was Elected clerk and motion Wm. A. Graham was Elected ~~to~~ delegate to attend the fall meeting of Presbytery and W. G. Simpson alternate. closed with Prayer

Wm. A. Graham clerk





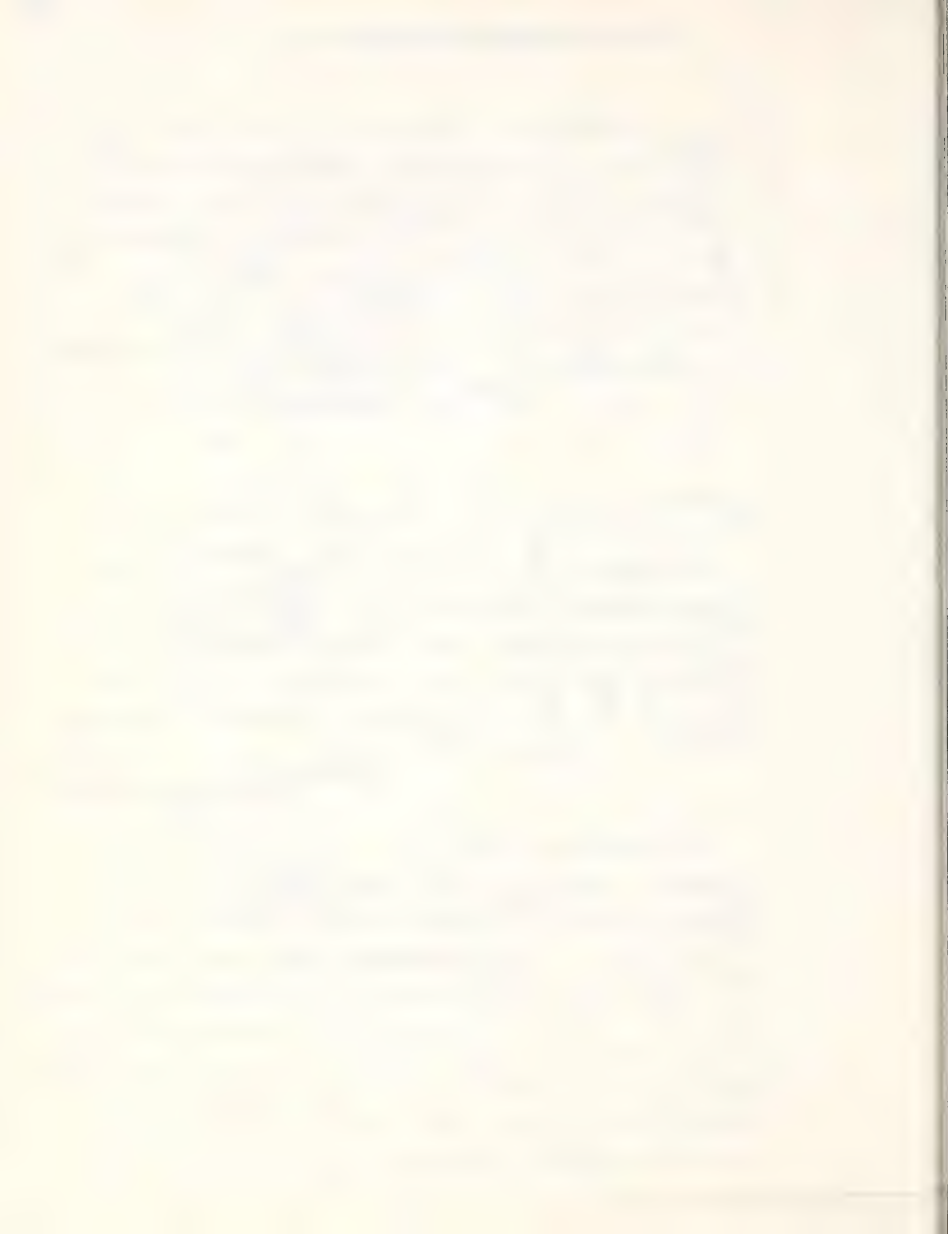
## MINUTES OF SESSION.

Graham Church Sept 28. 1890  
 Session commenced and was opened with  
 Prayer J. A. McRee Moderator Elders present.  
 Wm. S. Simpson Wm. A. Graham James  
 James Mc. Simpson came before the  
 session and upon Profession of his faith  
 in Christ was received into the communion  
 of the church closed with Prayer  
 Wm. A. Graham clerk

Graham Church December 7<sup>th</sup> 1890  
 session commenced and was conducted  
 with prayer Rev. James A. McRee moderator  
 Elders present W. S. Simpson Wm. A. Graham  
 Thomas Gibson and Margaret Gibson and  
 Andrew Gibson were at their own request  
 dismissed to the Presbyterian Church at Hanover  
 Indiana closed with Prayer

Wm. A. Graham clerk

Graham Church August 2<sup>nd</sup> 1890  
 session commenced James A. McRee moderator  
 Elders present Wm. A. Graham Wm. S. Simpson  
 The following named persons have professed and  
 on Profession of their faith in Christ were received  
 into the church Julia A. Hess Lewis Sorensen Jess  
 Emma Edith Hess Theodore Hess Ida James Mary Lucinda  
 Delbert Lewis Melvin Lewis Maggie Martin  
 Daniel Simpson after which the Lord's supper  
 was administered session closed J. A. Graham clerk



MINUTES OF SESSION.

Graham Church October 25 91  
Session convened and was constituted  
with Prayer James A. Allen Moderator  
Elders present Wm. A. Graham Wm. G. —  
Simpson the following named persons  
presented them selves before the session  
and on profession of their faith in  
Christ were received into the Church.  
Walter G. Carson Mary Lewis Carson  
Frank Wm Geisel Lillie Mary Geisel  
There being no other business session  
closed

Wm. A. Graham Clerk

Examined and approved in Presbytery  
at North Windsor, Ind. 1892.

W. B. Chamberlin Mod.

Note

This book not having been in  
use since the above approval.  
the the minutes having been  
recorded in another book  
which was before Presbytery  
in Sept 1901.



## MINUTES OF SESSION.

Graham Presbyterian Church  
 Sept 14<sup>th</sup> 1902. Session met at  
 the close of service for purpose  
 of appointing delegates to ~~new~~  
 fall meeting of presbytery which  
 convened at ~~the first~~ Ind. Sept.  
 1902. Meeting was constituted  
 with prayer by Elder Wm A. Graham

Elders Present Wm A. Graham  
 Wm G. Simpson, Walter A Hess, J O Simpson

Elder Wm A. Graham was appointed  
 delegate Walter A Hess alternate  
 to the fall Presbytery.

Session with prayer by  
 Elder Walter A. Hess.

Rev. J. H. Weaver Mod.

J. O. Simpson Secy.



MINUTES OF SESSION:

Graham Presbyterian Church  
Oct 12, th. 1902.

Session was convened preceeding Morning service constituted with prayer by Rev J. H. Weaver. Elders present Wm. A. Graham, Wm. B. Simpson, J. C. Simpson. The first chief business at this time being the passing and adopting of resolutions in behalf of our beloved and deceased Brother Walter A. Hess. Minutes ~~were~~ passed and adopted as follows.

Resolutions

Whereas it has pleased our loving Heavenly Father to take from our midst our beloved brother and co-laborer, Walter A. Hess, a Ruling Elder in Graham Church, a beloved and faithful member of this Session and Whereas he leaves a vacancy in this Session hard to fill, be it Resolved 1. That we the Session of this church, thus record our profound sorrow at this bereavement.

2 That we bow in humble submission, to the will of Him that doeth all things well, and look up unto Him and say;





## MINUTES OF SESSION.

"Even so Father, for so it seemed good in Thy sight."

3. That we the Session of this Church, convey to the bereaved wife and family our sincere and heartfelt sympathy.

4. That a copy of these Resolutions be sent to the bereaved wife and family.

5. That they be read from the pulpit on Sabbath Day and that a copy be sent to the Banner-Plaindealer for publication.

6. That a page in the minutes of this Session be set apart for these Resolutions and as a Memorial to our Deceased Brother.

Signed  
 Rev. J. H. Weaver Moderator  
 Elders Wm. A. Graham  
 Wm. G. Simpson  
 J. C. Simpson C. of S.

At Just preceding the <sup>morning</sup> service

J. C. and Lillie M. Simpson presented their infant daughter Anna Clara Simpson for baptism



MINUTES OF SESSION.

The Sacrament of the Lords Supper was administered after services Session was closed with prayer by Elder Wm G. Simpson.

Rev. J. H. Weaver Moderator

J. C. Simpson Sec.

Graham Church

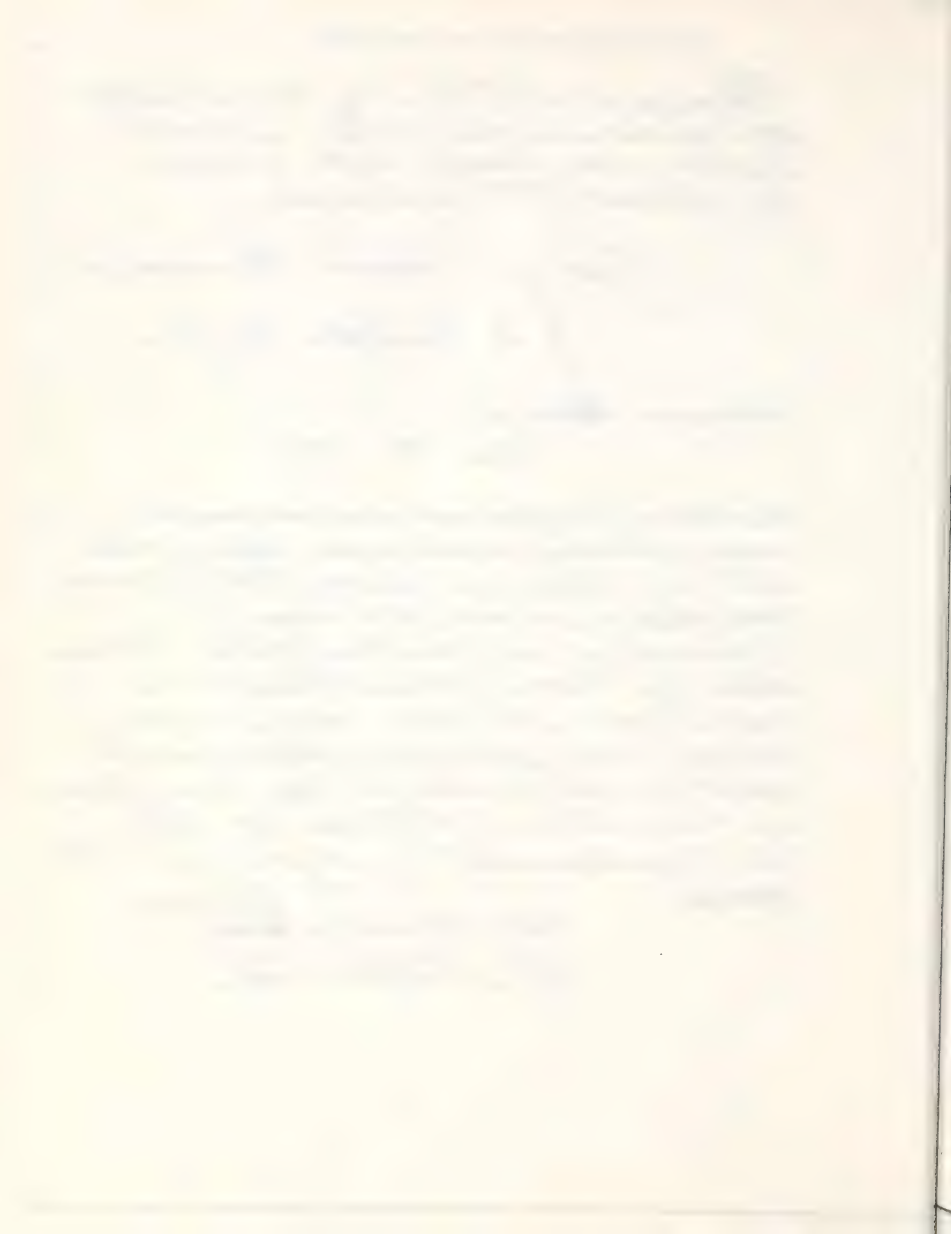
Nov. 9th. 1902

According to previous announcement a congregational meeting was held for the election of Elders and deacons. Rev J. H. Weaver Mod. Chairman and J. C. Simpson Sec.

Nominations for Elders Henry Naden Abraham Walton, for Deacons William P. Steadman David Larson. all were unanimously elected. Each expressed a willingness to accept the work to which he had been appointed. Ordination of officers was deferred till December meeting. adjourned with prayer.

Rev. Weaver Chairman

J. C. Simpson Sec.



## MINUTES OF SESSION.

## Graham Presbyterian Church

Dec. 14<sup>th</sup>, 1902.

At the close of morning service  
The newly elected officers were ordained  
The sacred duties, responsibilities and obligations  
of these officers to congregation and ~~congregations~~  
to officers were clearly set forth by Rev.  
Weaver in his morning sermon.

Elders Present Wm. A. Graham J. O. Simpson

Rev. J. H. Weaver Mod.

J. O. Simpson Secy.

Session closed with Prayer by  
Rev. Weaver.

## Graham Presbyterian Church.

April 12<sup>th</sup>, 1903 — Session convened  
at the close of service. Constituted with  
prayer by J. O. Simpson, Elders present  
Henry Naden, Wm. A. Graham, Abraham  
Watson, J. O. Simpson. Business was the  
adoption of reports and appointing of  
delegates meeting of Presbytery which  
is held at Kevay Ind. Apr. 13 to 16<sup>th</sup>, 1903.  
Elder Henry Naden was appointed  
principal, William A. Graham alt.  
delegates. At their own request letters  
of dismissal to a Presbyterian Church  
just organized at Bicknell Ind. was  
granted. Mr. Theodore Hays and wife Mrs. Adeline  
Hays.





MINUTES OF SESSION.

Session closed with prayer by Elder  
Henry Waden

Rev. J. H. Weaver Mod.  
J. V. Simpson Clerk.

Aug. 9<sup>th</sup>. 1903. at the opening  
of morning service, <sup>Julian Stewart Steadman</sup> the infant  
son of of William P. Steadman  
and Margaret <sup>Steadman</sup> and Lillian  
Melvinan Hess. daughter of Anna B. Hess  
were presented for baptism.  
J. V. Simpson. Clerk.

Thus far examined and approved by  
Presbytery in Session at Seymour  
Sept. 28<sup>th</sup> 1903  
N. C. Finny.  
Moderator.



Graham Church Sept 13<sup>th</sup> 1903.  
Session convened at the close  
of service Constituted with prayer.  
Elders Present Wm A Graham,  
Henry Naden, Abraham Walton,  
and J. O. Simpson. Purpose of meeting  
was examination of church  
minutes for the past year, and  
appointments of delegates to attend  
the fall meeting of Presbytery  
which convened at Seymour  
22<sup>nd</sup> 1903. Bro Henry Naden  
was selected as principal and  
Bro Abraham Walton as alternate  
delegates to this meeting.

Session was closed with  
prayer by Rev. J. H. Weaver.

Rev Weaver Mod.  
J. O. Simpson Clerk.



## MINUTES OF SESSION.

Graham Church Oct 11<sup>th</sup>, 1903.

Session convened at the close of morning service. Opened with Prayer by Elder Graham. Elders

Present - Wm A. Graham. Henry Naden, W. G. Simpson and J. D. Simpson. Abraham Walton. Object of meeting to recommend D. B. Simpson for a scholarship to Educational Borm during the school year of 1903-04. recommendation unanimously granted. Session closed with prayer by W. G. Simpson.

Rev. J. H. Weaver Mod.  
J. D. Simpson Clerk of S.



## MINUTES OF SESSION.

Graham Church Nov 8, 1893.

Session met at 10:30 before morning service constituted with prayer. Elders present W. A. Graham, Henry Naden, Abraham Walton purpose of meeting to receive into membership Walter C. Pierce by letter, from M. C. Church of Vernon Ind. and Edna H. Hess and Emma N. Simpson upon profession of faith. After satisfactory examination all were received into full communion of Church.

Session closed with prayer

Rev J. H. Weaver Mod.  
J. O. Simpson Sec.





MINUTES OF SESSION.

Graham Church Nov. 9th, 1901.  
Session was convened at close  
of Evening service for the purpose  
of receiving the following named  
persons into full communion of  
the church. Bert James, Frank  
Barson, Jessie James, Jerry Teatherston,  
Reet James. After satisfactory  
examination as to their faith in  
Christ these young men were  
received into full membership.  
The ordinance of baptism was  
administered to the following,  
Bert James, Jessie James, Jerry  
Teatherston.

Members of Session  
present J. O. Simpson W. M. Graham  
Session closed with prayer and  
benediction

Rev. J. H. Weaver Mod  
J. O. Simpson Clerk



## MINUTES OF SESSION.

Graham Church Nov. 14th. 1903.  
 Session convened at the close  
 of evening service to receive  
 the following persons into  
 membership of the church. - Howard  
 James, Mrs Elbridge Graham,  
 Miss Mabel Shepherd, Miss Minnie  
 James. After administering the  
 ordinance of baptism to Mrs  
 Elbridge Graham, and Mabel  
 Shepherd, all were received into  
 full membership of the church.  
 Session closed with prayer  
 and benediction.  
 Elders present Wm. A. Graham  
 J. O. Simpson.

J. H. Weaver Mod.

J. O. Simpson Secy.



## MINUTES OF SESSION.

Graham Church Nov 15<sup>th</sup>, 1903.  
 Session convened at the conclusion  
 of morning service to receive the  
 following persons <sup>present</sup> Michael Read  
 Mrs Donner. After satisfactory  
 examination both were received  
 into full membership. Elders  
 present - Abraham Walton, W. A.  
 Graham, Henry Naden, W. H. and  
 J. D. Simpson.

Session closed with  
 prayer and benediction

Rev. J. H. Weaver Mod.

J. D. Simpson clerk.



## MINUTES OF SESSION.

Graham Church, Nov. 17th 1903.

Session was called together at the close of evening service, to ~~see~~ receive Mrs. Rector James, into membership of the church, after satisfactory examination she was received into full membership of the church, after receiving the ordinance of baptism.

Members of Session,

J. O. Simpson  
Abraham Walton  
W. A. Graham.

J. H. Weaver, Mod.  
J. O. Simpson C. of S.





MINUTES OF SESSION.

Graham Church Nov. 18<sup>th</sup>, 1903.  
Session met at the close of  
morning service, to receive  
into membership Mary Ina Hess,  
W. H. Simpson, after satisfactory  
examination these children of  
the covenant, were received  
and admitted to the full com-  
munion of the church.

Members of Session,

J. O. Simpson

Wm. A. Graham.

Session closed with prayer  
and benediction.

Rev. J. B. Weaver Mod.

J. O. Simpson C. of S.



## MINUTES OF SESSION.

Graham Church Nov. 15th, 1903.

at the concluding service of a series of meetings conducted by Evangelists

Rev E. B. Stearns, session convened to receive into full fellowship of the church the following named persons. Mr. Albert Pfeiffer, Mr. Fred Vincent. Misses. Mabel Ferguson, Clara and Nettie Smith. Pansy Reder. Oera Burris. After examination and administration of the ordinance of baptism to ~~the~~ Mr. Albert Pfeiffer, Misses Mabel Ferguson, Clara and Nettie Smith, Oera Burris, Pansy Reder. all were received into full communion of <sup>the</sup> church. Members of Session present J. D. Simpson.

Session closed with prayer and benediction.

Rev. Weaver Mod.

J. D. Simpson Session B.



## MINUTES OF SESSION.

Graham Pres. Church

June 26<sup>th</sup> 1954.

Session Convened at with prayer by Elder Henry Naden at the close of Morning service ~~into~~ purpose of granting Letters of dismissal to Mrs Rebecca L Harris of Bloomington Reform Pres Church and Miss Louisa Loretta Hess to North Vernon Pres Church. Letters were unanimously granted. Elders present Henry Naden.

William A Graham J. C. Simpson.

Session closed with prayer by Elder Wm. A Graham.

Rev Daniel C. Simpson Mod.

J. C. Simpson S. Clerk.



## MINUTES OF SESSION.

Graham Presb. Church

Aug 28<sup>th</sup> 1904

Session met at the close of morning service <sup>evening with prayer by Elder Wm. Graham</sup> the following proceedings were had session considered and unanimously agreed to request Wm. Knox to send Evangelist T. B. Stearns in a series of meetings which we hope to hold during the latter half of Oct. also of appointing delegates to attend the ~~spring~~ <sup>fall</sup> meeting of Pres which convenes at Mitchell Sept-20<sup>th</sup>, 04 Elders Henry W. Aden and Abraham Walton were appointed as delegates. Closed with prayer by Elder J. T. Simpson

Elders Present Wm. K. Graham  
Henry Aden Abraham Walton  
John O. Simpson.

Rev. A. B. Simpson Mod.

J. D. Simpson Clerk





## MINUTES OF SESSION.

Graham Pres. Church

Sept. 11. 07.

Session convened at the close of morning service. constituted with prayer by Elder Henry Waden. Elders present. William A. Graham, Henry Waden Abraham Walton John C. Simpson purpose of meeting ~~the~~ examination and reading of the ~~ses~~ session records of the past year the minutes were accepted and adopted with the following correction At the close of Evening service in Feb. during Rev J. W. Weavers pastorate James Carson Jr. came forward <sup>and</sup> on profession in Jesus Christ desired to become a member of this church. After careful <sup>and satisfactory</sup> examination by Rev Weaver no other members of the session being present he was <sup>formally</sup> received subject to action of session. As this was just at the close of Bro weavers work at this place and we have had difficulty in securing another pastor this matter which had been neglected was brought before the session and acted upon at this morning meeting Bro James Carson was unanimously received into full membership of church. session closed with Prayer by Elder J. C. Simpson

Rev Daniel C. Simpson. Mod.  
J. C. Simpson Sec.



## MINUTES OF SESSION.

Graham Church Oct. 28<sup>th</sup> 1864

Session convened at close of service to receive the following named persons into <sup>full</sup> membership of this church Mr. and Mrs Ira Monroe by certificate from Methodist church at Lancaster Ind

Mr and Mrs Joseph Hendricks and Ray Hendricks upon examination <sup>and</sup> <sup>advice of</sup> baptism to ~~the~~ Joseph Hendricks and Ray Hendricks Mrs Hendricks having at one time been a member of the Baptist church] All were unanimously received into full communion of church

Rev Stearns Mod  
J. O. Simpson Secy.



MINUTES OF SESSION.

Oct 29th. 04

Graham Church

Session met - at conclusion of evening service to receive its full membership Mrs. Fred Vincent, Lizzie Vannoy, Rosa Morehead, upon profession of their faith in Jesus Christ after examination and administration of <sup>the</sup> ordinance of baptism to Rosa Morehead and Lizzie Vannoy all were unanimously received into full fellowship of Church

Elders Present - Wm A Graham  
J. D. Simpson. Session closed with  
Prayer by Rev. F. B. Stearns.

Rev. L. C. Simpson, Mod  
J. D. Simpson - Secy.



## MINUTES OF SESSION.

Oct-30th 04      Graham - church.

Session convened a conclusion of morning service with Prayer by Rev H. B. Simpson. for purpose of receiving into full membership Carrie H. Simpson. Philip Heigheimer upon profession of faith after examination (both having been baptized previously) were received into full communion. Session closed with benediction by Rev Stearns

Elders Present - Henry Waden  
William A. Graham. Abraham  
Walton. J. D. Simpson.

Rev. Stearns Mod.  
J. D. Simpson Secy.





## MINUTES OF SESSION.

April 9th 05- Graham Report to Presby. of N. A.

Elders 4

Deacons 1

Added on Exam. 8

" " Cir 2

Dismiss " " 2

Reserve Roll 4

Deceased 0

Net total con 56

Baptisms of Adults 4

Infant 0

S. S. membership  
including teach. & S. 44

Home Mission 1030

Sabbath S. Work 1027

Gen. Assen

Congregational \$90.

Miscellaneous 10.

Approved by Session at meeting  
April 9th 05- J. D. Simpson clerk.



## MINUTES OF SESSION.

April 9th. 05- Graham Church

Session convened at close of morning service to examine and approve reports for spring meeting of presbytery which meets at Brownstown Apr. 11th 1905: session opened with prayer by Elder Wm A. Graham. Elders present Wm A. Graham, Henry Nader, Abraham Walton, J. C. Simpson, after examination reports were unanimously adopted; Wm A. Graham, was selected as principal, and Abraham Walton, alternate delegates to the spring meeting of presb at Brownstown. Session closed with prayer by Elder Nader.

Rev. Daniel C. Simpson <sup>Secy</sup>  
J. C. Simpson <sup>Co. Secy</sup>



MINUTES OF SESSION.

Graham Church June 16<sup>th</sup> 1905

According to previous announcement of business meeting for the election of officers, the members met <sup>and</sup> <sup>was opened with prayer by Rev. D. C. Simpson</sup> and the following proceedings were had. Rev. D. C. Simpson acted as chairman, W. B. Pearce as clerk, upon call for Nom for <sup>officer</sup> Elders Walter B. Pearce, and David Carson. were nominated and unanimously elected. Howard James, and James D. Carson were also nominated and unanimously elected as Deacons. The matter of arranging for the care of the cemetery was discussed but no definite action was taken. The Sextons Stages were also a little in arrears. and arrangements were made for payment of said deficit. no further business meeting closed with Prayer by Pastor

Chairman, Rev. Daniel C. Simpson  
Clerk Walter B. Pearce



## MINUTES OF SESSION.

Graham Church June 11th 1903

Just preceding service on Sabbath Morning & Mr David Carson and Wife presented their infant daughter Margaric V. Carson for baptism after which the newly elected officers were ordained. The pastor set forth in clear and concise manner the views which the Presbyterian Church holds concerning infant baptism also their authority for holding <sup>Sundays</sup> Elders, and Deacons were carefully instructed in regard to the high appreciation in which the church esteemed them and honor she conferred upon them in calling them to occupy these places of sacred trust and great responsibility also Scriptural Authority for establishing said offices were quoted.

J. D. Simpson Clerk S.





MINUTES OF SESSION.

Graham Presb. Church Sept. 19, 1907

Session convened at close of morning service for purpose of appointing delegates to attend fall meeting of presbytery, which convened at Hanover Ind on Tues eve Sept 18. Session was opened with prayer by Elder David M. Carson. Elders present David M. Carson and J. O. Simpson upon motion David M. Carson was appointed principal and H. H. Meason Howard James alternate delegates. Motion unanimously carried no further business session closed with prayer by the pastor.

Rev L. G. Simpson Mod.  
J. O. Simpson Clerk S.

Approved by Session Presbytery at  
Hanover, Indiana, Sept. 20, 1907  
Hamilton A. Hymes,  
Moderator.



## MINUTES OF SESSION.

Graham Ch Nov 12<sup>th</sup> 1905

Session convened at the close of morning service for the purpose of receiving the following named persons into full fellowship w<sup>th</sup> the church.

Misses Nellie McClellan,  
Hazel Hughes, Thila Morehead on  
profession of faith Mrs Samuel  
Kames by letter from Seaburg  
Church. After examination and  
baptism of three former all were  
unanimously received into full  
membership.

Elders present

Abraham Walton  
W A Graham  
Henry Naden  
Walter Pearce  
David Carson  
J O Simpson

The sacrament of the Lords Supper  
was then administered.

Rev D C Simpson (Mod)

J O Simpson  
/ clerk



## MINUTES OF SESSION.

Graham Presbyterian Ch. Dec 2<sup>nd</sup> 1905

Session convened at the close of morning service constituted by prayer by Rev D. C. Simpson Elders present: Henry Nader, David Carson, Walter Pearce, Abraham Walton, J. O. Simpson. The object of meeting was to grant letters of dismission to David O. Monroe and wife to the Presbyterian Ch of Monroe Jefferson Co Ind. and to receive Mr. Jessie Davis and Miss Clara Davis into full membership of the Church.

After Examination and admission of the ordinance of Baptism both were unanimously received into full fellowship of Church.

Session closed with Prayer by Walter C. Pearce

Rev. D. C. Simpson (Elder)  
J. O. Simpson  
Clerk



## MINUTES OF SESSION.

Graham Presbyterian Ch. March 1<sup>st</sup> 1906

Session met at close of service and convened by prayer by Bro Walter C. Pearce

Mrs Bessie Carson was received by certificate from the M. E. Ch. of Lowell.

The reports for the church work of the year were read and adopted. As follows

Members 57

Contributions

Board of Home Missions \$14.85

" " Foreign " \$3.00

Ch - Improvements \$15.00

S-S Work \$26.00

For Poor \$25.00

For Evangelistic Work \$20.00

Congregational \$175.00

Bro Walter C. Pearce was elected delegate in Wm. Graham alliance to spring meeting of Presbyter.

Heleah Northfield

April 10<sup>th</sup>

Session adjourned with prayer by Pastor.

Rev D. C. Simpson

Elders Present Walter C. Pearce  
David Carson





MINUTES OF SESSION.

Graham Church Sept 9<sup>th</sup> 1906

Session commenced at the close  
of morning service constituted by  
prayer by Elder W<sup>m</sup> H. Graham  
Elders present

Wm H. Graham

Henry Nabler

Walter C Pearce

David Carson

J. O. Simpson

The following business was transacted  
J. O. Simpson was appointed  
principal and David  
Carson alternate delegates to the  
fall meeting of presbytery at  
Charlottesville Sept 18<sup>th</sup>

Session adjourned with prayer  
by Elder W. C. Pearce

Rev J. O. Simpson (Moderator)

J. O. Simpson Clerk



## MINUTES OF SESSION.

Graham Presbyterian Ch. Oct. 9<sup>th</sup> 1906

Special evangelistic services were held at Graham Church beginning Sept 30<sup>th</sup> and continuing ten days.

The pastor Rev. D. C. Simpson was assisted by Rev. A. E. Cameron of Doxanastock and Rev. Howell Osages Prof. of music from Chicago.

At the close of the series the doors of the church were opened and the following persons presented themselves for membership

Frank Pickman  
Elliott Almont  
Charlie Graham  
John Shorehead  
Roe James  
Willie Laver

Emma Almont  
on profession of faith and  
by certificate from the Presbyterian Ch. of Raymond.

Session convened and was constituted with prayer by Rev. A. E. Cameron. The candidates on profession of faith were examined and the ordinance of baptism administered. After this all were received into full membership of the Church. Session closed with prayer by Pastor Rev. D. C. Simpson (Elders present) James Pickman, James Osages, J. C. Simpson, W. E. Pearce.



## MINUTES OF SESSION.

Gratiot Church April 1st 1907

Session convened at close of Sabbath School for approval of spring reports to presbytery after reading and examination reports were Unanimously adopted session then appointed John Simpson prn. and Walter C. Pearce alt. delegates to meeting of presbytery which convened at Sarnow April 22nd 1907 Elders present Walter C. Pearce, David Carson, John D. Simpson. session closed with prayer by elder Walter C. Pearce.

Rev H.C. Simpson Mod.  
J.D. Simpson C. S.

The report adopted was as follows

### Sabbath School Report

David M. Carson Supt.

No of officers and teachers	10
No. of Scholars	82
Total	92
Average Attend.	41
No of Members of School in full Membr of our church	45-
No of members of School received into full membership of church last year	7
Amount contributed to S. School work	\$9.00
" " " other work	\$3.45-
" " " Support of School	\$0.20



## MINUTES OF SESSION.

Annual Church report.

	Elders	5
	Deacons	2
Recd on	Examination	7
" by	Certificate	1
	Dismissed	3
	Deceased	5
	Net total Communicants	37
Contributed To Home Mission		\$19.60
" " Foreign "		" 4.00
S S work		" 9.00
Temperance		3.45
General Assembly		4.15
Congregational		2.00

J. O. Simpson Clerk of session





## MINUTES OF SESSION.

Irisham Church April 14th 07

Session convened according to previous announcement that a meeting would be held at this time in order to take necessary action relating to members on retired roll and some who had moved away some time ago and had not been letters or in any other way manifested an interest in Christian work. Session constituted with prayer by Elder David Carson. Elders present David Carson, J. C. Simpson, Asa Henry Naden, Wm. H. Grahams, and Walter Pearce. On account of absent Elders session took no decided action further than to make a roll of the names of aforesaid members and agreed to ~~correspond~~ <sup>correspond</sup> with those at a distance <sup>and urge them to take action</sup> and those near by and approved sessional records for last year. Also convened with prayer by Elder J. C. Simpson.

Rev H. G. Simpson Mod.  
J. C. Simpson Secy.

M.C.

Examined and approved by Presbytery at  
Seymour, April 23-1907.

J. R. Garrith

Moderator



## MINUTES OF SESSION.

Graham Church July 14<sup>th</sup> 1907.

According to previous arrangement at April meeting, session met for the purpose of taking upon action upon members on Retired Roll. Session convened with prayer by Eld. Henry Naden. Elders Present - Henry Naden, Wm A Graham, Walter C. Pearce, David Carson, J. O. Simpson following action was taken.

Electa Lattimore	Referred to investigate
Wm A. Carnes	suspended (Confession Faith Ch VII sec 49)
Leona Newkirk	Dismissed
Samuel Gallimore	"
James L. Muster	Suspended (Sec 49)
Charles Redman	" "
Julia Earl	Deceased
Helila E. Carson Hill	Dismissed.
Edward Winterstine	"
Mary Winterstine	" by cert.
William Wood	Suspended.
Sarah J. Simpson	retained as active mem.
Judith Constance Wilson	" " " "
Mary Hendricks Saterfield	suspended
Martha C Redman	Retained Active mem.
Anna B. Graham	dismissed by cert.
Thomas B. Graham	further investigate
Lucetia Graham Hemkelbarger	dis. by letter
Mary Steadman	Suspended (Sec 49)
Olive H. Tobias	Dismissed by letter.



# MINUTES OF SESSION.

Sarah J. H. Carnes Suspended  
 Morton L. Danham for further invest  
 Carrie Farmer Suspended (Confession)  
 Fannie Mounts " " "  
 James M. Orrell " " "  
 John Wilson " " "  
 Estella Rosberry retained for investigation  
 Frank and Emma Beisel dismissed by letter  
 Emma James dismissed  
 Maggie Muster Active member  
 Mary O. Tweedy further investigation  
 Anna L. James " "  
 Joseph James " "  
 John Hughey dismissed.  
 Henrietta Tweedy Wilson dismissed by letter

also arrangements were made for  
 an all day union services with  
 sister churches. Session closed  
 with prayer by Elder Walter C. Pearson

Rev. H. C. Simpson, Mod.  
 J. O. Simpson S. C.

Aug 11 07

At the opening of evening  
 service. Walter M. Carson and Anna  
 B. Carson presented their infant-  
 son Walter Simpson Carson for  
 baptism. which was administered  
 by pastor.





## MINUTES OF SESSION.

Graham Church Sept 8th 1907.

On this day union services were held with Hopewell M.E. Church and Tea Creek Baptist Ch. previous to P.M. Service ordination of baptism was administered to William Earl and Margaret E. Steadman infant son and daughter of William R. Steadman and wife. at close of service <sup>service</sup> was called by Mod. and constituted with prayer by Elder David Carson. Elders Present, Walter Pearce John R. Simpson. following business was transacted 1st renewal of call to Rev D. C. Simpson to serve as S.S. for another year commencing Oct. 1. 1907. 2nd Adoption of Envelope system of coll for monthly payment of pastors salary. 3rd Arrangement for observance of Lords Supper every 4 months 4th appointment of Elder Henry Waden as principal and Walter E. Pearce alternate delegates to fall meeting of presbytery. Session closed with prayer by past.

Rev D. C. Simpson Mod.  
J. R. Simpson S of L.





## MINUTES OF SESSION.

Graham Presb. Church Oct 30th 1907.

October 21st to 30th was season of special Evangelistic services. Rev. Wm. M. Elliott of 3 Ch. New Albany preached each ~~each~~ evening, at close of the ~~service~~ Oct 30th Session convened with prayer. ~~and~~ After the administration of the Ordobaptism to May Palmer and Everett Biddings. The following persons ~~fall~~ were received into full communion.  
By certificate

- 1 Mrs Phebe Carson  
By profession  
Everett Biddings

- 3 May Palmer.  
Clark T. Simpson.

Session closed with prayer by  
Rev W. M. Elliott.

Elders present - David Carson,  
Walter Pearce, J. D. Simpson.

Mod. Rev H. E. Simpson  
J. D. Simpson Cof S.



MINUTES OF SESSION.

Abraham Church April 4 1908

Sabbath school report:-

David M. Carson Supt-

No of officers and teachers

" " scholars

Total attendance

Average Attendance

No members of school in full membership of Church

No of members S.S. received into full membership of Ch. during past yr 4

Amt. contributed to S.S. work

" " " other boards

" " " support of home school

Annual Church Report-

No Elders 4

" Deacons 1

Recd on Examination 3

" by Certificate 1

Dismissed by certificate 5

Deceased. 2

Net total communicants 54

contributed to Home Missions 20

" " Foreign 0

" S.S. work. 12

General Assembly \$5.20

Congregational \$175.00



## MINUTES OF SESSION.

Graham Church April 11<sup>th</sup> 1908

Session convened at the close of morning service constituted with prayer by Elder Henry Naden, Elders present Henry Naden, Walter C. Pearce, David Carson J. O. Simpson. The following proceedings were had.

1st reading and approval of sesional records for past year. Also approval of reports to Pres.

2. Appointment of J. O. Simpson as principal and Walter C. Pearce alternate delegates to Spring meeting of Presbytery at Colyton Apr. 21<sup>st</sup>. 08.

3 Granting of letters of dismission to Mrs Anna Shepherd Graham. and her daughter Lucretia Graham Dunkelbarger. to presbytery.

4 Adoption of following Resolution  
to the memory of Elder Wm A. Graham deceased.

5 Whereas an alwise Providence has removed from our midsts our brother elder and fellow laborer Wm A. Graham Resolved that we bow in submission to divine will knowing he doth all things well - That we mourn <sup>our</sup> loss and hereby bear record to the faithfulness of our brother in his duties to his Church and that this resolution be placed on ch records and publicly read before the Congregation



## MINUTES OF SESSION.

Session closed with prayer by  
 Elder Walter Pearson  
 J. D. Simpson Clerk  
 J. D. C. Simpson Moderator

thus far examined and approved  
 by the Presbytery of New Albany  
 in session at Corydon April 22<sup>nd</sup>  
 1908

John B. McArthur, Moderator.





MINUTES OF SESSION.

Graham Presb Ch. Sept- 17. 1808

According to previous announcement  
Session convened at the home of  
J. O. Simpson and transacted the  
following ~~and~~ business on account  
of sickness, part of members of Session  
could not be present.

Session convened with sentence prayer  
Rev. H. C. Simpson <sup>present</sup> Elders Green  
Walter C. Pearce - J. O. Simpson.

Elder Dave Carson was appointed as  
principal and Henry Haden Alt, delegate  
to attend fall meeting of presbytery which  
convenes at Salem Ind.

Call was extended to Rev. H. C. Simpson  
for another year beginning Oct. 1st 08

Arrangements for Subscription paper  
and circulation of same

Rearrangement of manner of employing  
janitor. during coming yr.

Raising funds for repair of heating  
apparatus church.

Providing for holding series of meetings  
last of Oct. Session closed with prayer  
by Rev. H. C. Simpson.



## MINUTES OF SESSION.

Graham Ch. April 1st 67.

Session convened at home of Elder Olive Carson for the purpose of making first annual reports to presbytery. Session convened with prayer by Elder Wm. Pearce. Members present - Rev. W.C. Pearce, Elders W.C. Pearce, W.M. Carson, and J.D. Simpson. Reports made out and adopted were as follows.

## D.S. Report.

David M. Carson Superintendent -

No officers and teachers ?.

" Scholars 50

Average Attendance 40

Total

59

No of members of School in full membership of Church. 35

No of members of S.S. received into full membership of Church during past yr. 0

Amount contributed S.S. work.

" " other boards \$7.50

Support of home School

\$20.00

## Annual Ch. Report

No Elders 4

" Deacons 1

Recd on Examination 0

Dismissed by certificate 0

Deceased 3

Net total communicants 52

Contributed to Home Missions \$18.75

Receipts. "

S.S. Work

General Assembly



## MINUTES OF SESSION.

Congregational  
Session closed with prayer by  
Elder David M. Carson

Rev. W. B. Simpson Mod.  
J. D. Simpson Session Clerk.

Graham Chi April 14<sup>th</sup> 09

Session convened at the close  
of morning service. Constituted with  
prayer. By Rev. W. B. Simpson Elders  
present David M. Carson. Walter C.  
Pearce. and J. D. Simpson business  
transacted was appointment of delegates  
attend the spring meeting of presbytery  
at Madison Ind April 26-28. 09.

Elder Walter C Pearce was chosen  
principal and J. D. Simpson Alternate  
delegate

Session closed with  
prayer by Elder Walter C Pearce

Rev. W. B. Simpson Mod.  
J. D. Simpson Secy.

Approved by presbytery in session  
at Medford N.J. 21<sup>st</sup> 1909

Jno. W. Dindley  
Moderator.



## MINUTES OF SESSION.

Graham Church May 9th 19.

Abstinence of Lords Supper  
in connection with Morning  
service, preceding this service  
The ordinance of Baptism was  
administered to John Lattimore Simpson  
infant son of John C. and Lucie M.  
Simpson. First half of Home mission  
and Assembly fund was also received  
at this time.

J. C. Simpson of S.  
Graham Church Sept 3, 1909.

Session met Saturday afternoon  
Constituted with prayer by Rev. W. C. Simpson  
Elders present; Henry Naden, David McQuinn,  
Walter C. Pearce, and J. C. Simpson, The session

business was transacted - Calling of  
Rev. W. C. Simpson to serve as pastor during  
year - commencing Oct - or till Oct - 1910.

Forming rules to regulate sale of lots  
in new addition to Graham cemetery,  
arranging to raise funds for erection of  
new wood house on church grounds.

Decided to hold series of meetings in Oct -  
short disorganized pastor, W. C. Simpson, to  
be a reminder of the past and a warning  
during the meeting at Graham Church Oct 1909.





## MINUTES OF SESSION.

Graham Church Nov. 12, 07

Subsequent notice of this series of  
 services was made in minute of Sept-3  
 The Bible assistance given by  
 M. F. Rice of New Washington who was  
 with us from Nov 4 to 12. was duly appre-  
 ciated by all who attended the meetings  
 especially by members of Church and  
 session. God blessed the efforts but-  
 to the salvation of 14 souls all of which  
 were members of junior and intermediate  
 departments of our S.S. This meeting  
 will be long remembered and our  
 hope and trust will bear fruitage in years  
 to come,

R. C. Simpson pastor  
 J. D. Simpson. Clerk

Sat. Nov 13 Congregational Meeting  
 was held according to previous  
 announcements for the election of  
 one Trustee and Three deacons  
 after a fitting sermon setting forth  
 the authority the Church has for setting apart  
 men for these offices. The duties of the members  
 to them and their sacred and high calling.  
 The election of officers was then held as follows  
 Trustee Frank Carson Deacons Eldridge  
 Graham, Fred Vincent, Webster M. Carson.  
 J. D. Simpson Clerk A. J. Carson



## MINUTES OF SESSION.

Graham Church Sabbath morning  
Nov 14 at the Beginning of  
morning service Service



## MINUTES OF SESSION.

It was informally agreed by the session of Graham Church, on Dec 16<sup>th</sup> that the Minister serve as usual Sabbath, at the Services on Sabbath, Dec 17<sup>th</sup> 1893, 9.10 with of a congregational meeting of said Church to be held at the Church on Sunday Dec. 30<sup>th</sup> at 11 O'clock A.M., for the purpose of electing two Elders and one Deacon to serve the Church as such. The meeting was held, in accordance with the notice, on Dec 30<sup>th</sup> 1893 at 11 O'clock am. Rev. Dr. McCoy, stated briefly served as Moderator and John O. Simpson as Clerk. <sup>The meeting was opened with prayer.</sup> The following persons were chosen by ballot, viz: John O. Simpson and Walter A. Hess, as Elders and John Hughey as Deacon.

The meeting was then closed with prayer.  
Theodore W. McCoy.

Moderator.

J. O. Simpson,

Clerk.

On Sabbath December 31<sup>st</sup> 1893, after Session at the morning Service, I ordained and installed in due form the following named brethren as officers in the Graham Methodist Church, viz, Elders John O. Simpson and Walter A. Hess, and Deacon John Hughey.

Theodore W. McCoy, Minister, stated briefly.





# MINUTES OF SESSION

## Roll of Members

Date of membership

Name

June 14 <sup>th</sup> 1855	John O. Sattimore	(Elder)
June 30, 1844.	Stannak Sattimore *	
Oct 25, 1858.	Nancy Jane Sattimore	
Apr. 23 1868.	Margaret F. Sattimore	
Oct. 26, 1861	Daniel J. Sattimore	
Aug. 23, 1869	Electa Sattimore	
May. 27, 1832.	Almira Barnes	
Oct. 2, 1857.	Danuel Simpson	
Mar. 24, 1857. - 1868	William A. Graham	(Elder)
Oct. 20, 1857	Margaret A. Graham	
Aug. 28, 1839.	Charles B. Graham	
26 1857	Margaret Graham	
Aug. 23 <sup>rd</sup> 1869	Mrs. Allison Barnes	
Oct. 18, 1842.	Thomas D. Graham	(Trustee) +
Mar. 22, 1857.	Selena Graham	
Apr. 24, 1868.	Robert Tweedy	(Trustee)
Aug. 26, 1838.	Mary W. Tweedy	
Apr. 26, 1868.	Mary Jane Tweedy	
Apr. 25, 1868	Andrew Tweedy	
Apr. 24, 1868	Jane Carson Tweedy	
Oct. 14, 1842.	Jane Carson	
Aug. 21, 1869	Mariah E. Lee	
Apr. 25, 1868.	James L. Carson	
May 3 <sup>rd</sup> "	Fanny Carson	
Apr. 23, "	Elizabeth Jones	
Apr. 24, 1868.	Sara Jane Newkirk	
May 3 <sup>rd</sup> "	Geo. W. Earl	
Aug. 23, "	David A. Shepherd	
Apr. 23, 1868.	Mary E. Jones	
Apr. 1868.	Piero P. Lee	



## MINUTES OF SESSION.

How received

Remarks

- Ex Deceased Feb'y. 26<sup>th</sup>, 1893.  
 " Deceased August 5<sup>th</sup> 1897  
 " Deceased March 3<sup>rd</sup>. 1894.  
 " Deceased Sept 15<sup>th</sup> 1896  
 " Excluded May 14<sup>th</sup> 1870.  
 " Dismissed.  
 " Deceased Nov. 1<sup>st</sup> 1871.  
 " Deceased April 4<sup>th</sup> 1908.  
 " Deceased Oct 18 1906  
 " Deceased January 11<sup>th</sup> 1881 in the 71<sup>st</sup> year of his age  
 " Deceased May 26 1891 in the 38 year of his age  
 " ~~Gone without a letter.~~ Dismissed  
 " Deceased September 5<sup>th</sup> 1895  
 " Deceased September 1<sup>st</sup> 1901  
 " Deceased July 2<sup>nd</sup> 1886  
 " Deceased September 31. 1872  
 " ~~Gone without~~ Deceased  
 Ex Deceased April 6<sup>th</sup> 1872  
 Ex Dismissed by letter to the Presbyterian Ch of Vernon June 8. 1868  
 " Deceased July 26 1872  
 Ex Dismissed to the Presbyterian Church of Vernon June 8. 1868  
 " Dismissed  
 " Dismissed by letter Feb 1888  
 Ex Dismissed by letter Apr 3<sup>rd</sup> 1869.  
 " Gone without letter  
 " Deceased May & June 1868.  
 " Deceased  
 " Dismissed by letter Apr 3. 1869  
 " Dismissed to Vernon Presbyterian Church May 15-68





# MINUTES OF SESSION.

Date of membership

Apr. 24, 1868

June 3, 1832

Oct 2, 1851

Jan. 24, 1869

Mar 23, 1858

Oct. 18, 1842

Aug. 21, 1869

" 23, "

Apr. 26, 1868

" " "

Jan. 24, 1868

Apr 26 "

Mar 22, 1857

Oct. 2, 1851

May 3, 1868

" " "

Apr 24, 1868

Apr 26, 1868

" " "

Apr. 24, 1868

" 5, 1840

May 3, 1868

" " "

Oct. 29, 1862

Jan 24, 1869

" " "

Apr. 25 1868

Name	(Season)
John Muster	(Season)
Isabel Muster	
Mary Carson	
Emily H. Carson	
William H. Carson	(Deacon Elder)
Nancy E. Carson	
Louise A. Carson	
Katilda Winchester	
Emily Winchester	
John Jordan	
Nancy Redman	
Levi Redman	(Deacon)
Elizabeth Redman	
Margaret Redman	
Walter Carson	
Sarah Carson	
Sarah Miller	
Joseph W. Miller	(Trustee)
Elizabeth Miller	
Ann Shepherd	
James Muster	
Charles W. Redman	
James S. Shepherd	
Julius Earl	
Mrs. J. M. Caslin	
Francis Tweedy	
Nancy J. Tweedy	
Dr. Wm. Russell B. F.	
Thomas Giboney	(Elder)
Margaret Giboney	
David Jones	

MINUTES OF SESSION.

How received	Remarks
Ex	Dismissed by letter
"	Deceased Aug. 13 1884
"	Deceased April 1890
"	Deceased Mar. 11, 1882
"	Deceased Feb. 27 1885
"	Deceased Feb 19 1885
"	Dismissed by letter to the Pres Church of Vermont
"	Dismissed by letter to Whiteland Apr 2 <sup>nd</sup> 1882.
"	"
"	Excluded "October 17/72" " " "
"	deceased
"	Deceased about Dec 1880
"	Refused to be admitted
"	Dismissed by letter December 14 <sup>th</sup> 1878
"	Deceased November 19 <sup>th</sup> 1874
"	Dismissed by letter May 7 <sup>th</sup> 1876
"	Deceased May 25 <sup>th</sup> 1878
"	Deceased Dec. 22 1887
"	"
"	Deceased Jan. 28 1889 Funeral by Rev. A. W. P.
"	Gone without letter
"	"
"	Dismissed by letter March 26 <sup>th</sup> 1876
"	Gone without letter
"	Deceased
Cor	Deceased January 1895
"	Deceased Feb 1904
Cor	Deceased
"	Dismissed by letter October 17 1872 returned
"	Dismissed by letter October 7 1872 returned
Exp	Dismissed by letter Apr. 3 <sup>rd</sup> 1869





## MINUTES OF SESSION.

(Name)

Date of membership

Nov. 13, 1868.

William G. Simpson (Elder)

Walter M. Carson

Deacon

Delilah Ellen Carson

Nancy Ann James \*

Margaret Jordan

John S. Tweedy

Elbridge Graham

Edward Winterstine

Alford Phares +

Mary Winterstine

Emma Torbet +

Mary Jones

Mrs. Jones Wife of David Jones

~~Robert George~~

Margaret Anne Graham

Margaret Jones

Gincy E. M. Elliland

John Berkman +

Martha Berkman \*

David H. Gibney

Henry Darnell Owen +

George William Gibney

Entered Ministry

James Harrison Simpson +

Nancy Pierce Rydman

Harriet Lane Redman

Wm. Wood

Henry S. McCuslin Deacon

Elizabeth C. McCuslin

Ezraim Hallan

Marilda Hallan

Boxana Savage +

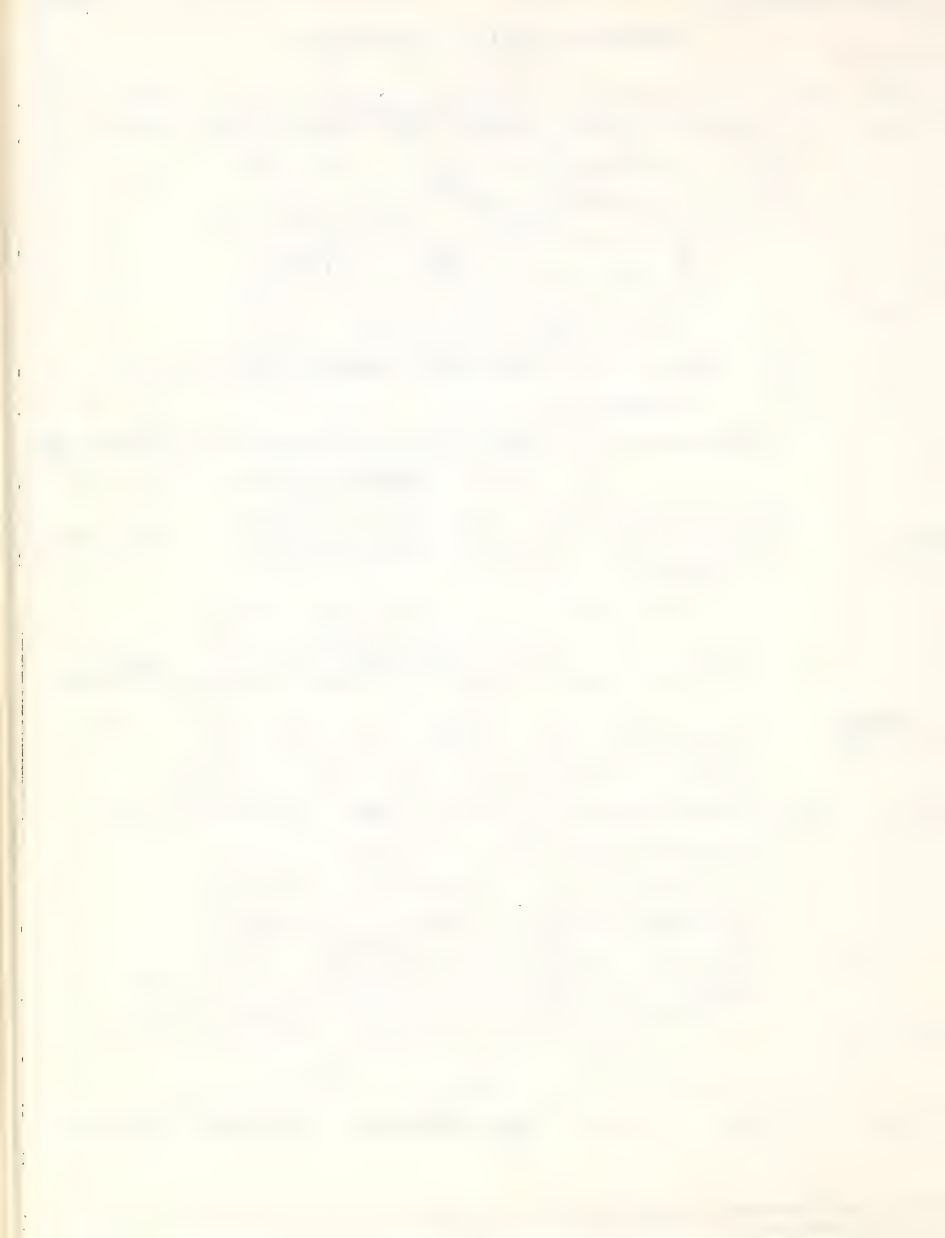
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MINUTES OF SESSION.  
Remarks

How used

- Gen. Deceased Feb 22 1874  
Ex. Dismissed by letter to Secy and Ch. Printers  
" Gone without letter  
" Deceased February 9th 1871  
" Dismissed by letter Jan 30th 1875  
" Deceased Nov 9th 1871.  
" a  
" Gone without letter  
" Gone Without letter Deceased  
" Gone  
" Dismissed to New Prospect Pres Church Apr. 3, 1868  
" " by letter Apr 3rd 1869.  
" " " " " "  
" " " " " "  
Cen. Deceased May 1870  
Ex. Deceased  
" Dismissed by letter Apr 3rd 1868  
" "  
Gen. Dismissed by letter Sept 18th 1888 to Pres. Ch. Rotator  
" "  
Ex. Dismissed by letter October 11/72  
" Dismissed by letter above to 1870  
" Dismissed by letter October 11/72 Returned  
" Dismissed by letter of 11-9-1881  
" Reported Church at 1880  
" Deceased Dec. 1886 Funeral by Rev. J. M. ...  
" Gone without letter  
" Gone without letter Deceased  
" Deceased March 1886 1906  
" Deceased Sept 30 1882  
" Deceased Jul 11. 1889  
" Dismissed by letter Apr 27 1884 to Manner Village





# MINUTES OF SESSION

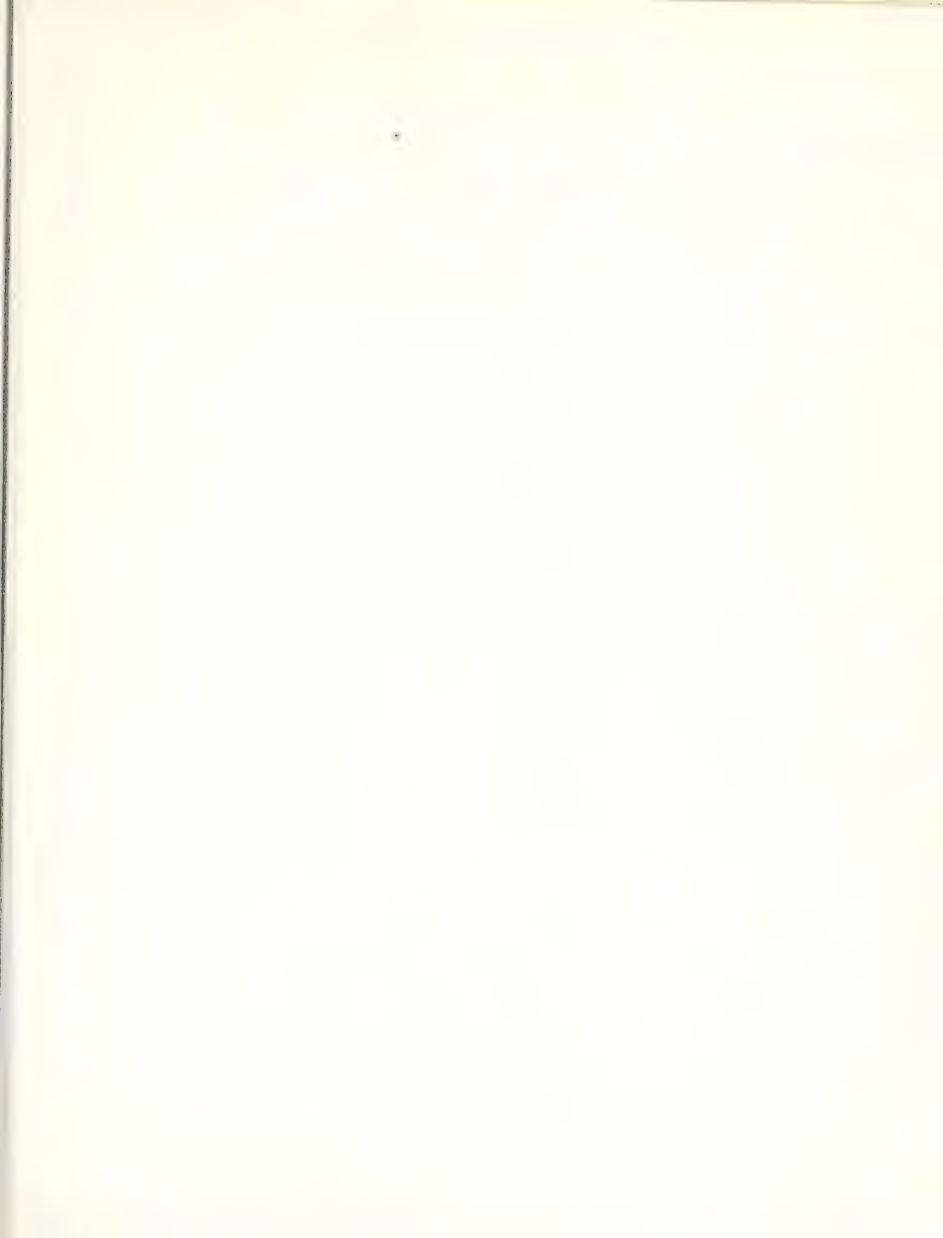
## Roll of Members

Date of Membership

April 14, 1872	Evan Richards	††
December 15, 72	Robert Tweedy	Masson
---	George Lewis	Masson
---	Isabel Lewis	Winchester
---	Abnabell	Winchester
---	Wm. J. Wilson	+
Nov 2/73	Mary Underwood	††
Nov 16/73	John Underwood	††
---	Thomas Wilson	+
---	Alcassia Wilson	+
---	Isabel Jane Wilson	(simpler)
---	Isabel Donatrick Wilson	
July 15, 74	Wm. Lauder	
---	Ann Lauder	
Oct 11/74	George Masson	
---	Elizabeth Masson	
Nov 2/74	Matthie Coleman	
April 1/75	Samuel M. Lathrop	
---	Mary E. Lathrop (Ferguson)	
---	Mary F. Lathrop	re Palmer
July 4/75	Thomas J. Lathrop	son
---	Mary A. Russell	
---	Alcassia Giddings	son +
---	Alcassia Giddings	son +
December 1/75	Isabel Giddings	son +
Nov 1/75	James Richards	+
Nov 11/75	Mariah Richards	
Nov 11/75	Jacob Abbott	
Nov 11/75	William Key	+
Nov 11/75	Elizabeth Key	+
Nov 11/75	Christian Melanby	††
Nov 11/75	Lewis Richards	+







## MINUTES OF SESSION.

Date of membership

## Roll of Members

Nov 12/16 Nettie Richards +  
 Nov -- Mary J. Hendricks +  
 Nov -- Anna B. Thompson +  
 Nov -- Mary E. Steadman +  
 Jan 1, 11 Anne Loden +  
 Jan -- Martha L. Steadman +  
 Jan -- Anna B. Spafford Graham +  
 Jan -- Olive L. Steadman +  
 Jan -- Emma J. Steadman +  
 Jan -- Elizabeth J. Steadman +  
 Jan -- Ruth Hendricks +  
 Jan -- Mary J. Steadman +  
 Jan -- Mary E. Steadman +  
 Jan -- Mary E. Steadman +  
 January 21/11 Reuben Redman +  
 Jan - 21 Thomas Benton Graham R.R. +  
 Jan 21/1871 Morton Lesley Graham +  
 Jan -- Samuel Gallimore +  
 Jan -- Nancy Jane Giboney +  
 Jan -- Ida A. Graham +  
 April 15/11 Samuel H. Spafford +  
 December 24/11 Wm. Elsbury Spafford +  
 Sep 32/78 Mrs. M. A. Biglow +  
 December 15/78 Miss Annaria Biglow +  
 Jan 13/79 Edwin M. Biglow +  
 Feb - 1/78 Edwin B. Biglow +  
 April 15/78 Martha J. Spafford +  
 November 1878 Emma Giboney +  
 November 1878 Lizzie M. Steadman +



MINUTES OF SESSION.

How received

Remarks

Dismissed by letter to The Presbyterian Ch. of Columbia Ind. <sup>Nov. 30 1888</sup>  
Gone without letter

Dismissed by letter to The Episcopal Ch. E. Mass.  
Gone without letter

Deceased Dec. 25 1887.

Gone without letter Dismissed by cert. 1889  
~~Gone without letter~~ " " "

Gone without letter

Deceased Nov 7th 1877.

Refused to North Ch. now

Gone without letter

Gone without letter Dismissed

Suspended Dec 12, 1880

Dismissed by letter Dec. 30th 1888

Gone without letter Aug. 5 1881

Gone without letter

Dismissed by letter to the M P Church  
Oct. 1887 ~~Gone without letter~~ Dismissed by letter to <sup>St. Louis</sup>

by letter

Dismissed by letter to the Cong church <sup>Sept. 12 1888</sup>

" " " " " " Presbyterian Ch. North Mass.  
Dismissed by letter to the Congregational Ch. of <sup>St. Louis</sup>

" " " " " " " " " "

Dismissed by letter <sup>Sept. 1881</sup>

Deceased Sept. 5 1888





## MINUTES OF SESSION.

List of Members

May 1, 1881	Mary Vander Perry	
" " "	Mrs. Ellie Southerland	+
" " "	Harrie Hermer	+
" " "	Joseph Gordon	
" " "	William Lettmore	
" " "	Alexander Giboney	+
" " "	Minnie Lettmore	+
" " "	Isabell Cander (Vanslye)	
" " "	Heallen Cander	Deceased Sept 17 <sup>th</sup> 1940
" " "	Mrs. Mary White	+
" " "	Mr. Melvin White	+
" " "	Clara E. Pearson	+
" " "	Eue Perry	fe 1901
" " "	Ella Mountz	(Mrs. Mrs. McMillan)
" " "	Fannie Mountz	Dismissed 1907
" " "	Flossie Roseberry	+
" " "	Stella M. Roseberry	+
" " "	Stella J. Redman	+
" " "	John Simpson [elder]	
" " "	James M. Correl	Dismissed 0
" " "	Willie Biglow	+
" " "	Laurin Biglow	+
" " "	Mrs. Elizabeth Potocadonham	+
Aug. 27 1881	Ezzie B. Pearson	+
" " "	John K. Stedman	+
" " "	Anna H. Simpson	Dismissed
Feb 18 1882	Caroline Clegg	+
June 10 1886	B. F. Lundy	
Aug 16 1886	Elizabeth S. Stasson	+
Dec 31 1886	Del. Graham	
" 12 "	E. E. Stasson	
" 14 "	Maggie Wilson	
" 17 "	Andrew Giboney	+

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Examination

- " Dismissed by letter to Outwell pres Ch Oct 30<sup>th</sup> 1881
- " Gone without letter. Dismissed 1907
- " gone Deceased Nov. 21<sup>st</sup> 1901
- " Entered Ministry Pres. Ch.
- " Dismissed by letter June 25-1888 to the Presbytery Ch of Princeton Ind
- " Deceased Aug 13<sup>th</sup> 1887
- " Deceased 1900
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- " Gone without letter. Dismissed
- " Expelled Dec. 25-1883
- " Dismissed by letter to the Presbytery Ch at Thornton Ind
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- " Dismissed
- " Gone without letter
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- " Deceased Aug 21<sup>st</sup> 1889, funeral by Rev. J. M. McRea
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- " Gone without letter
- " Dismissed Feb. 17, 1883 to the Cong. of Ep. Southern Ridge Ind
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- " Deceased Sept 5-1885
- " Dismissed Sept 18, 1881 by letter to the M.E.C.
- " Dismissed
- " Dismissed
- " Dismissed by letter to the 1<sup>st</sup> Ch. Madison Ind Sep 29 1888
- " Dismissed " " Oct 8<sup>th</sup> 1899
- " Deceased May 19 1891
- " Dismissed by letter
- " Gone without letter
- " Dismissed by Presbytery Church at Hancock Dec 7, 1890









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Examination Dec 2nd Aug 3rd 1893  
 " dismissed " Dec 2nd 1909  
 " Initiated with Baptist Ch without letter  
 by letter Dismissed by letter to the Presbytery of <sup>June 2nd 1898</sup> ~~Pinebluffs~~  
 Dec 2nd Jan 6 1897  
 Examiner Dec 2nd Jan 6 1897

" Vernon presb Church June 24th 1904  
 " " Oct 1907  
 Apr. 12, 03. to presbyterian Church to be organized at Bicknell Ind.  
 " [Bicknell]  
 Apr. 12, 03. to a Presbyterian Church to be organized at  
 Dec 2nd Feb. 1897

by certificate to Presb. Ch. at NV  
 Examination

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 by letter October 5-1902  
 Examiner

" " dismissed  
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 " " deceased  
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1899

- Nov 12 Miss Luenece Graham R.R.  
 " " Mrs. M. A. Walton.  
 " " Mr. A. Walton. Deceased May 1905.  
 Dec 1899 Mrs. Lou James.  
 Feb. 11<sup>th</sup> Mr. James Carson,  
 Mar. 11<sup>th</sup> Mr. David Carson.  
 " " Mrs. Lona Carson.  
 (1901) Miss Jessie Shepherd  
 " " Holly Carson Deceased Sept 1st 03  
 " " Henry Naden  
 " " William P. Steadman  
 " " Margaret Steadman  
 1903 Nov 3 Walter B. Pearce Elder  
 " 8 Edna H. Hess  
 " 8 Emma N. Simpson  
 " 9 Bert James  
 " 9 Jessie James  
 " 9 Riet James  
 " 9 Frank Carson  
 " 9 Jerry Featherston  
 " 14 Howard James Deceased. May 1906  
 " 14 Anna Graham  
 " 14 Minnie James  
 " 14 Mabel Shepherd Davis  
 " 15 Michael Read R.R.  
 " 15 Mrs. R. L. Lomner  
 " 17 Mrs. A.R. James  
 " 18 Willie H. Simpson  
 " 18 Edna M. Hess Deceased  
 " 18 Albert Pfeiffer  
 " 18 Fred Vincent  
 " 18 Mabel Ferguson Davis

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Nov 18	Clara Smith
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" 18	Paney Rader
" 18	Oera Burris
Feb 19 <sup>04</sup> 1904	James Carson Jr
Oct 27	Mrs Fred Vincent
" 28	Mrs Joseph Hendricks
29	Joseph Hendricks
"	Ray Hendricks
"	David <del>Q</del> Monroe
"	Mrs <del>David</del> Q. Monroe
30	Luzie Vannoy
"	Rosa Morehead
"	Carrie Simpson nee Ross
"	Philip Heigesheimer
1905	Jan
Nov. 12 76	Nellie McClellan
"	Hazel Hughes nee Ferguson
"	Phila Morehead nee Dawson
"	Mrs Samuel James
Dec 2nd	Mrs Jessie Davis
"	Miss Clara Davis
Mar 11 1906	Mrs Bessie Carson
Oct 9. 1906	Frank Redman
" "	Charlie Graham
" "	John Morehead
" "	Math Vincent
" "	Rae James
" "	Willie Boyer
" "	Emma Vincent



MINUTES OF SESSION.

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Oct 9th 1906 Walter M. Carson

Oct 31st 1907

Miss Mary Palmer by examination  
 Everett Giddings " " certificate  
 Clark Simpson " " "  
 Mrs Phebe Pearson " Certificate

1909

NOV 12. Laura Hess by " examination  
 " " Lillian Hess " "  
 " " Anna C. Simpson " "  
 " " George Graham " "  
 " " Mildred James " "  
 " " Helen Thomas " "  
 " " Ethel James " "  
 " " Emma Pearce " "  
 " " Lacy Hendricks " "  
 " " Morgan Hansel " "  
 " " Hally Miller " "  
 " " Mary McClelland " "  
 " " Blanche McClelland " "  
 " " Ellie Dickey " "









